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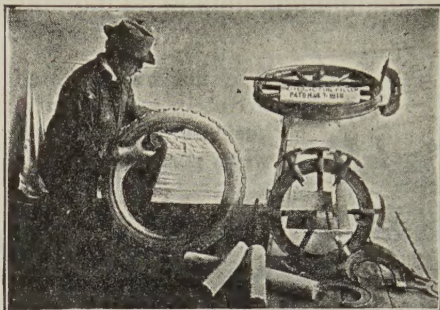
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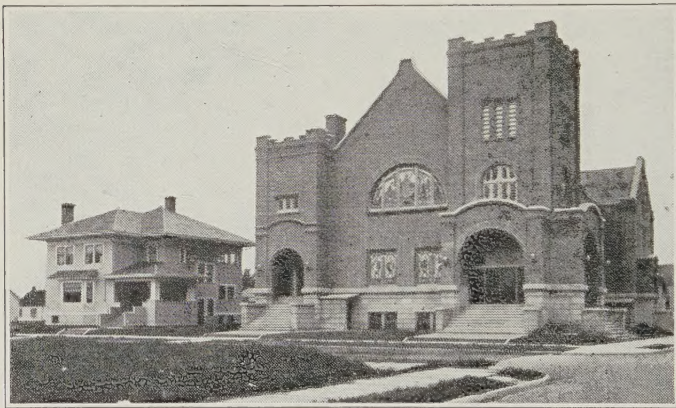


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## Rules of Order

1. The Conference session shall open each day at 8:30 a. m. and close at 11:45 a. m., the devotional services to be under the direction of the Bishop.

2. The President shall take the chair at precisely the hour to which the Conference stood adjourned, and after devotions shall have the minutes of the previous session read and approved.

3. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to appeal to the Conference; but in case of an appeal the question shall be taken without debate. Provided, that after the President shall have stated the reason for his decision, the appellant may give the grounds of his appeal.

4. The President shall appoint all committees not otherwise ordered by the Conference.

5. All motions and resolutions shall be reduced to writing if the President, Secretary or any member requests it.

6. No motion shall be considered unless seconded.

7. When a motion is made and stated by the Chair, a resolution offered or a report read, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference.

8. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration is disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following should intervene, which motion shall have precedence in the following order, viz.:

- (1) The previous question.
- (2) Indefinite postponement.
- (3) To lay on the table.
- (4) To refer to a committee.
- (5) To postpone to a given time
- (6) To amend.
- (7) To substitute.
- (8) To recommit.

9. Every speaker on any subject shall rise and address the President, and shall not be interrupted while speaking, unless he departs from the rules and decorum of the Conference.

10. No member shall be permitted to speak more than ten minutes at any one time, nor more than once on the same question, until all have spoken who desire, unless leave be granted by the Conference, which shall be decided by vote without debate.



11. Any member shall have the right to state a question of privilege, raise a point of order and make an explanation when he considers his arguments have been misrepresented by another.

12. When speaking, each member shall have due regard for the feelings of his brethren by avoiding irritating language and personal reflections.

13. The yeas and nays may be taken on any motion on the call of one-third of the members present.

14. When any measure shall have been adopted, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

15. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order and shall be decided without debate, unless it shall be for adjournment to a fixed time.

16. No member shall absent himself from the Conference without leave, unless he be sick or otherwise unable to attend.

17. The bar of the Conference shall be fixed by vote, and no member outside the bar will be permitted to vote on any question, and all members inside the bar shall vote upon all questions, unless they are excused by the Conference.

18. Visitors who address the Conference by permission shall not be permitted to speak more than ten minutes without unanimous consent.

19. All expressions of approval or disapproval during the progress of debate shall be deemed a breach of order.

20. In case an executive session be ordered, only members in full connection shall be permitted to sit therein, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

21. These rules of order shall not be altered or suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

## General Rules

1. The Presiding Bishop is respectfully requested not to transfer into our Conference more men than are transferred out; not to bring men to places within our bounds without careful and equitable adjustment for all; but this rule shall not be construed to the injury of our developing work or so as to embarrass the authorities in providing for new work.

2. All changes involving conference relations, as well as all candidates for admission on trial, readmission, admission upon credentials from other churches and for admission into full membership, shall be referred to a committee on Conference Relations; and no such change of relations shall be granted, nor any such candidate admitted, until such committee shall have made its report.

3. Whenever the Conference is to consider the admission on trial or reception into full connection of any brother, it shall go into executive session, (when necessary) said session to convene Friday at 1:30 p. m.

4. No candidate shall be admitted on trial into this Conference who is over 40 years of age.

5. All committees or societies to whom are committed matters requiring anniversary or other public service shall provide the program for such service.

6. Members are strictly forbidden to remain in the vestibule during the devotional exercises.

7. The roll of our honored dead shall be called immediately after the regular roll call in the presence of the Conference standing.

8. At the close of each Conference session the District Superintendents shall appoint a Committee on Memoirs, composed of one member from each district and one from the Conference at large, which shall be placed upon the list of standing committees. Each District Superintendent shall report to his committee the death of any minister or wife, or children of any minister, which may occur in his District. The chairman of this committee shall note the death of any member of the Conference or the wife of any such member, and then confer with the members of the committee. The memorial service shall be held immediately after the roll call of our honored dead. It shall consist of usual devotional exercises and an address of twenty minutes in length by some member of the Conference named by

the committee in charge. The Committee on Memoirs shall have full control of the Conference memorial service.

9. The General Educational Collection shall be applied to the Endowment Fund of Willamette University, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of the Conference, and delivered to the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees.

10. The Secretary of the Conference shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and when approved, the printed minutes shall be the official record of the Conference. He shall take charge of the journals and all Conference papers, keep them safe and have them forwarded to the place of Conference sessions.

11. It shall be the duty of the Conference Treasurer to place in the hands of the Conference Claimants present, and to send to those absent, drafts for the amount due them from the funds of the Conference provided for that purpose, as shown by the report of the Conference Board of Stewards.

12. No person shall be advanced in his studies in the Conference course of study who is conditioned upon more than one study.

13. The President shall provide for closing up the business of the final session of the Annual Conference that due and sufficient time shall be given for proper devotional services just preceding the reading of the appointments, that no unseemly haste or disorder at such time be manifest.

14. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to publish these rules in the Conference Journal.

15. These general and standing rules shall not be altered or suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.



## Courses of Study for Traveling Preachers

### Rules Governing Examinations.

1. Three examinations shall be held during the year, viz., on the second Tuesday of March, and of August, and on the Tuesday preceding the session of the Annual Conference. No examinations shall be held at any other time except by special consent of the Chairman of the Board of Examiners.

2. No credit will be accepted by the Board from any school or college except those signed by the Registrar of the institution.

3. All examination papers shall be written in the presence of a member of the Board of Examiners.

4. Each candidate shall certify to the Registrar that he has read all the "Books to be read."

5. Each candidate shall pay a fee of one dollar at the first examination of the year.

6. Candidates with more than one condition will not be advanced from one class to the next, save by a three-fourths vote of the members present.

7. The officers of the Board are Albert S. Hisey, Chairman; M. T. Wire, Registrar.

### Plan of the Conference Examinations.

Examinations will be held during the year as follows:

On March 11 and August 12, 1918, at Portland by A. S. Hisey; at Eugene by Joseph Knotts; at Salem by Prof. Edwin Sherwood; at Grants Pass by M. T. Wire. Any candidate may write before any member of the Board.

## CONFERENCE COURSES OF STUDY.

### Admission on Trial.

First Semester. Examination Day, March 11, 1918.

1. The English Language:

The Art of Writing English. Brown and Barnes...W. S. Gordon

2. American History. James and Sanford.....E. E. Gilbert

4. Life of John Wesley. Winchester.....J. M. Brown

7. Written Sermon .....M. T. Wire  
Second Semester. Examination Day, August 12, 1918.
3. Doctrine and Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church for  
1916 .....A. R. Maclean
5. Plain Account of Christian Perfection.....G. O. Oliver
6. Lives of Bible Characters:  
Life of Moses; Life of David; Life of Jesus According to Mark,  
Life of Paul as given in the Acts.....A. A. Heist

**Course of Study for the First Year.**

First Semester. Examination Day, March 11, 1918.

3. The Making of the Sermon. Pattison.....W. S. Gordon
4. How to Study and Teaching How to Study. McMurray.J. M. Brown
5. Special Homiletical Work .....A. R. Maclean  
Collateral Reading and Study.
1. The Church School .....J. M. Brown
2. Public Worship. Hoyt .....E. C. Richards
4. The Pastor Preacher. Quayle.....W. S. Gordon
5. Winning the Fight Against Drink. Eaton.....G. O. Oliver  
Second Semester. Examination Day, August 12, 1918.
1. New Testament History. Rall.....L. C. Poor
2. Human Behavior. Colvin and Bagley.....E. C. Richards  
Collateral Reading and Study.
3. Individual Work for Individuals. Trumbull.....J. M. Brown
6. Life of the Spirit in Modern English Poets. Scudder..W. S. Gordon
7. Francis Asbury. Tipple .....E. E. Gilbert
8. Methodist Review ..... L. C. Poor

**Course of Study for the Second Year.**

First Semester. Examination Day, March 11, 1918.

3. (a) The Pupil and the Teacher. Weigle.  
(b) The Graded Sunday School in Principle and Practice. Meyer  
.....J. C. Spencer
4. The Way to Win. Fisher.....D. L. Fields
5. Special Homiletical Work .....C. L. Dark  
Collateral Reading and Study.



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3. The Preacher, His Life and Work. Jowett.....J. C. Spencer  
Letters on Evangelism. Hughes.....J. C. Spencer
  5. Solving the Country Church Problem. Bricker.....D. L. Fields
  7. Life of Luther. McGiffert.....C. L. Dark  
Second Semester. Examination Day, August 12, 1918.
  1. (a) Dictionary of the Bible. Hastings.  
(b) The Bible in the Making. Smyth.  
(c) How We Got Our Bible. Smyth.....G. H. Parkinson
  2. A Short History of the Christian Church. Moncrief.....C. L. Dark  
Collateral Reading and Study.
  1. The Christian View of the New Testament. Eislen.....A. A. Heist
  2. Education in Religion and Morals. Coe.....E. C. Richards
  6. History of Methodism (Vol. I). Stevens.....D. L. Fields
  8. Methodist Review .....J. C. Spencer

#### Course of Study for the Third Year.

First Semester. Examination Day, March 11, 1918.

1. Beacon Lights of Prophecy. Knudson.....R. E. Dunlap
3. Social Problems—A Constructive Analysis. Elwood...D. H. Leech
5. Special Homiletical Work.....R. E. Dunlap  
Collateral Reading and Study.
3. Christianity and the Social Conscience. Rauschenbusch.J. M. Brown
4. Social Evangelism. Ward.....D. H. Leech
5. Community Survey in Relation to Church Efficiency. Carroll  
.....A. S. Hisey
7. Life of Philip Brooks. Allen.....J. M. Brown  
Second Semester. Examination Day, August 12, 1918.
2. Foundations of Christian Belief. Strickland.....A. A. Heist
3. Introduction to the Study of Comparative Religion. Jevons...  
.....E. G. Decker  
Collateral Reading and Study.
1. Studies in Christianity. Bowne.....E. G. Decker
2. The Fact of Christ. Simpson.....E. E. Gilbert
6. History of Methodism. (Vol. 2) Stevens.....D. L. Fields

8. The Methodist Review .....L. C. Poor

**Course of Study for the Fourth Year.**

First Semester. Examination Day, March 11, 1918.

3. Every Day Ethics. Cabot.....E. C. Richards  
 4. (a) The New Home Missions. Douglas.  
 (b) Social Aspects of Foreign Missions. Faunce...Joseph Knotts  
 5. Special Homiletical Work.....A. R. Maclean  
 Collateral Reading and Study.  
 4. The Call of the World. Doughty.....Joseph Knotts  
 5. The Church a Community Force. Tippey.....G. O. Oliver  
 6. The Minister as a Shepherd. Jefferson.....A. A. Heist  
 3. Outlines of Christian Theology. Clarke.....E. G. Decker

Second Semester. Examination Day, August 12, 1918.

1. Paul and His Epistles. Hayes.....M. T. Wire  
 2. System of Christian Doctrine. Sheldon.....G. O. Oliver  
 Collateral Reading and Study.  
 1. Historical Geography of the Holy Land. Smith...G. H. Parkinson  
 2. The Book of Isaiah. (Vol. 1.) Expositors' Bible.....A. A. Heist  
 7. History of Methodism. (Vol. 3.) Stevens.....D. L. Fields  
 8. The Methodist Review.....L. C. Poor

**Local Deacons Orders.**

1. Studies in Christianity. Bowne.....E. G. Decker  
 2. The Christian View of the Old Testament. Eislen..G. H. Parkinson  
 3. A Compendious History of Methodism. Stevens.....D. L. Fields  
 4. The Way to Win. Fisher.....D. L. Fields  
 5. Social Solutions. Hall.....D. H. Leech

**Local Elders Orders.**

1. Paul and His Epistles. Hayes.....M. T. Wire  
 2. The Person and Place of Christ.....J. M. Brown

Note.—Examinations for Local Orders may be taken at any of the times and places on the schedule above.



## SESSIONS OF THE CONFERENCE

Date		Place	Presiding Officer	Secretary
Year	Month			
*1849	Sept. 5.....	Salem.....	Wm. Roberts.....	J. H. Wilbur
*1850	Sept. 4.....	Oregon City.....	Wm. Roberts.....	"
*1851	Sept. 3.....	Salem.....	Wm. Roberts.....	F. S. Hoy
*1852	Sept. 2.....	Portland.....	Wm. Roberts.....	"
1853	Mar. 17.....	Salem.....	E. R. Ames.....	"
1854	Mar. 16.....	Belknap Settlement.....	M. Simpson.....	Wm. Roberts
1855	Aug. 1.....	Oregon City.....	O. C. Baker.....	"
1856	Sept. 17.....	Portland.....	Levi Scott.....	"
1857	Aug. 13.....	Corvallis.....	E. S. James.....	"
1858	Aug. 11.....	Salem.....	Levi Scott.....	H. K. Hines
1859	Aug. 10.....	Albany.....	O. C. Baker.....	I. Dillon
1860	Aug. 22.....	Portland.....	E. R. Ames.....	Wm. Roberts
1861	Aug. 7.....	Eugene.....	C. S. Kingsley.....	"
1862	Aug. 6.....	Vancouver, Wash.....	M. Simpson.....	"
1863	Aug. 12.....	Lebanon.....	E. S. James.....	"
1864	Aug. 18.....	Salem.....	D. W. Clark.....	C. C. Stratton
1865	Aug. 10.....	Olympia, Wash.....	Jas. H. Wilbur.....	"
1866	Aug. 8.....	Albany.....	E. C. Benson.....	"
1867	Aug. 7.....	Portland.....	E. Thompson.....	"
1868	Aug. 13.....	Salem.....	Levi Scott.....	"
1869	Aug. 5.....	Eugene.....	C. Kingsley.....	"
1870	Aug. 25.....	Vancouver, Wash.....	E. R. Ames.....	"
1871	Aug. 9.....	First Church, Portland.....	E. S. James.....	Wm. Roberts
1872	Aug. 29.....	Salem.....	R. S. Foster.....	H. K. Hines
1873	Sept. 3.....	Olympia, Wash.....	J. T. Peck.....	"
1874	Aug. 12.....	First Church, Portland.....	S. F. Merrill.....	L. M. Nickerson
1875	Aug. 11.....	Salem.....	J. T. Peck.....	John T. Wolfe
1876	Aug. 23.....	Albany.....	Wm. Harris.....	"
1877	Aug. 29.....	Seattle, Wash.....	Thos. Bowman.....	"
1878	Aug. 28.....	Salem.....	E. G. Andrews.....	"
1879	Aug. 20.....	First Church, Portland.....	Gilbert Haven.....	"
1880	Aug. 19.....	Eugene.....	I. W. Wiley.....	"
1881	Aug. 29.....	East Portland.....	W. L. Harris.....	"
1882	Aug. 23.....	Albany.....	J. F. Hurst.....	"
1883	Aug. 22.....	Vancouver, Wash.....	Henry Warren.....	"
1884	Aug. 27.....	Salem.....	Chas. Fowler.....	"
1885	Aug. 26.....	Roseburg.....	J. M. Walden.....	"
1886	Aug. 26.....	Forest Grove.....	Wm. L. Harris.....	"
1887	Aug. 31.....	Grace Church, Portland.....	R. S. Foster.....	"
1888	Aug. 30.....	Eugene.....	W. X. Ninde.....	John Parsons
1889	Aug. 28.....	First Church, Portland.....	Thos. Bowman.....	"
1890	Aug. 21.....	Grants Pass.....	John T. Newman.....	"
1891	Aug. 19.....	Salem.....	J. M. Fitzgerald.....	"
1892	Aug. 25.....	Portland.....	J. M. Walden.....	"
1893	Aug. 23.....	Albany.....	D. A. Goodsell.....	John N. Denison
1894	Sept. 19.....	Eugene.....	Isaac W. Joyce.....	"
1895	Sept. 25.....	First Church, Portland.....	Thomas Bowman.....	"
1896	Sept. 23.....	Roseburg.....	Earl Cranston.....	Cyrus A. Lewis
1897	Sept. 9.....	Corvallis.....	Cyrus D. Foss.....	"
1898	Sept. 14.....	McMinnville.....	C. C. McCabe.....	"
1899	Sept. 20.....	Salem.....	John H. Vincent.....	"
1900	Sept. 19.....	Ashland.....	E. G. Andrews.....	"
1901	Sept. 25.....	Hillsboro.....	W. F. Mallalieu.....	"
1902	Sept. 25.....	Grants Pass.....	Earl Cranston.....	"
1903	Sept. 30.....	Salem.....	J. W. Hamilton.....	"
1904	Sept. 28.....	Eugene.....	Henry Spellmeyer.....	"
1905	Sept. 20.....	Albany.....	W. F. McDowell.....	"
1906	Sept. 26.....	Sunnyside, Portland.....	H. W. Warren.....	"
1897	Sept. 25.....	Grace Church, Portland.....	David H. Moore.....	Melville T. Wire
1908	Sept. 23.....	First Church, Salem.....	Edwin H. Hughes.....	"
1909	Sept. 15.....	Cottage Grove.....	Charles W. Smith.....	C. C. Rarick
1910	Sept. 21.....	Hillsboro.....	Charles W. Smith.....	"
1911	Sept. 20.....	Salem.....	Charles W. Smith.....	"
1912	Sept. 18.....	Ashland.....	R. J. Cooke.....	"
1913	Sept. 24.....	Eugene.....	R. J. Cooke.....	"
1914	Sept. 23.....	Centenary Ch., Portland.....	R. J. Cooke.....	"
1915	Sept. 22.....	Roseburg.....	R. J. Cooke.....	"
1916	Sept. 27.....	Lebanon.....	Matt S. Hughes.....	"
1917	Sept. 26.....	Springfield.....	Matt S. Hughes.....	"

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# In Memoriam

"Blessed Are the Dead Which Die In the Lord"

NAME	DECEASED		Com'ed Traveling	
	WHEN	WHERE	When	WHERE
N. S. McAllister..	Sep 26 1860	Albany, Oregon.....	1857	Oregon.....
T. B. Sanderson...	..... 1865		1857	Oregon.....
W. S. Lewis.....	Dec. 1 1865	The Dalles, Oregon...	1856	Ohio.....
W. B. Ellsworth ..	..... 1865	La Grande, Oregon.....	1856	Oregon.....
John Tindall.....	Nov. 1 1867	Umatilla, Oregon.....	1866	Oregon.....
D. Leslie.....	Mar. 1 1869	.....		New England..
Wm. Royal.....	Sep. 29 1870	Salem, Oregon.....	1831	Illinois.....
J. G. Deardorf.....	May 31 1872	Ft. Simcoe, Wash....	1865	Oregon.....
A. F. Waller.....	Dec. 26 1872	Salem, Oregon.....	1832	Genessee.....
G. Hines.....	August 1874	Salem, Oregon.....	1832	Genessee.....
N. Rounds.....	Jan. 2 1874	Clark Co., Wash....	1831	Oneida.....
L. T. Woodward....	..... 1876	.....	1850	North Indiana.
S. H. Mann.....	Mar. 15 1876	Brownsville, Oregon..	1865	Oregon.....
N. A. Starr.....	Aug. 29 1881	Springfield, Oregon..	1854	Oregon.....
H. C. Jenkins.....	Jan. 7 1883	Halsey, Oregon.....	1866	Oregon.....
J. W. York.....	Feb. 19 1884	Corvallis, Oregon.....	1826	Missouri.....
John Spencer.....	Jun 30 1885	McMinville, Oregon..	1828	Pittsburg.....
H. Patterson.....	Sep. 7 1886	Hillsboro, Oregon.....	1867	Oregon.....
T. L. Sails.....	Feb. 26 1888	McMinville, Oregon..	1874	Oregon.....
J. T. Wolfe.....	July 24 1888	Corvallis, Oregon.....	1865	Oregon.....
W. M. Roberts.....	Aug. 22 1888	Dayton, Oregon.....	1834	Philadelphia...
L. M. Nickerson....	Sep. 12 1888	Crafton California...		Oneida.....
Wm. Helm.....	Jan. 23 1890	Portland, Oregon.....	1822	Kentucky.....
H. P. Satchwell....	Feb. 1 1894	Newberg, Oregon.....	1859	New England..
Josiah L. Parrish..	..... 1895	Salem, Oregon.....	1855	Oregon.....
John H. Rook.....	Feb. 18 1895	Salem, Oregon.....	1869	Oregon.....
Hiram P. Webb....	Aug. 23 1895	Sellwood, Oregon.....	1883	Oregon.....
Albert N. McCart..	May 1896	Portland, Oregon.....	1889	Idaho.....
John N. Denison...	Jan. 14 1897	Grants Pass, Oregon..	1871	Oregon.....
G. W. Quimby.....	Sep. 6 1897	Viola, Oregon.....	1867	Missouri.....
C. R. Thoburn.....	May 9 1899	Portland, Oregon.....	1885	India.....
P. M. Starr.....	Oct. 21 1900	Brownsville, Oregon..	1856	Oregon.....
J. McIntire.....	June 3 1901	LaFayette, Oregon.....	1884	Oregon.....
O. B. Streyffeler...	July 20 1901	Santa Ana, Cal.....	1893	Oregon.....
G. W. Gue.....	July 24 1901	Portland, Oregon.....	1859	Illinois.....
R. T. Baldwin.....	Aug. 6 1903	Pasadena, California.	1882	Kansas.....
G. W. Rook.....	June 5 1904	Lostine, Oregon.....	1855	Oregon.....
H. R. Hill.....	Sep. 16 1904	Portland, Oregon.....	1903	Oregon.....
N. Doane.....	May 4 1905	Portland, Oregon.....	1853	Oregon.....
R. M. Corner.....	July 27 1905	Mosca, Colorado.....	1891	Oregon.....
J. W. Miller.....	Feb. 14 1906	Portland, Oregon.....	1853	Oregon.....
D. L. Spaulding...	..... 1905	Spokane, Wash....	1858	Oregon.....
C. Alderson.....	Oct. 12 1907	Albany, Oregon.....	1856	Oregon.....
I. D. Driver.....	Oct. 30 1907	Tangent, Oregon.....	1858	Oregon.....
J. M. Sweeney.....	June 2 1908	Elkton, Oregon.....	1884	Oregon.....
J. R. Hammond....	Apr. 24 1908	Cataumet, Mass.....	1866	N. Y. East.....
D. McLachlin.....	Nov. 28 1908	Portland, Oregon.....	1869	Mississippi....
J. H. B. Royal.....	Jan. 6 1910	Portland, Oregon.....	1854	Oregon.....
C. C. Stratton.....	April 10 1910	Portland, Oregon.....	1858	Oregon.....
T. F. Royal.....	Mar. 7 1911	Portland, Oregon.....	1846	Rock River....
N. M. Skipworth...	July 12, 1913	Eugene, Oregon.....	1881	Col. River....
E. R. Homer.....	Apr. 14 1914	Portland, Oregon.....	1874	Columbia River
W M Erskine.....	Feb. 24, 1914	Yamhill, Oregon.....	1890	Iowa.....
John Flinn.....	Sep. 11, 1915	Portland, Oregon.....	1848	Maine.....
N. J. Harbit.....	Jan. 28, 1915	Springfield, Ore.....	1891	West Wisconsin
W. B. Pepper.....	July 15, 1915	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	Oregon.....
W. J. G. rdner.....	Jan. 29, 1916	Cottage Grove, Ore..	1875	N. W. Iowa...
C. M. Bryan.....	Jan. 31, 1916	Albany, Ore.....	1867	N. W. Iowa...
J. H. Skidmore....	May 2, 1916	Vancouver, Wash....	1868	Oregon.....
Nelson Clark.....	Dec. 31, 1916	Berk ey, Cal.....	1857	Oregon.....
W. S. Holcomb....	June 18, 1917	Salem, Ore.....	1886	Col. River....
Robert Booth.....	July 11, 1917	Eugene, Ore.....	1855	Oregon.....
Sanford Snyder...	July 25, 1917	Coburg, Ore.....	1872	Michigan.....



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ABBETT, JAMES T.—'84, Northwest Indiana, Morocco; '86, Boswell; '88, Williamsport; '90, Oregon Conf., McMinnville; '92, Albany; '96, Eugene; '99, Ashland; '05, Central, Portland; '08, S. S. Missionary; '10, Eugene District; '16, University Park. (677 Vanderbilt St., Portland.)

ABBOTT, GEORGE ROSCOE—'10, Puget Sound, Snoqualmie, Wash.; '12, Lebam; '15, Oregon Conf., Wilsonville. (Salem, R. R. No. 3.)

ACHESON, THOMAS—'13, Oregon, Merrill; '14, Marquam; '17, Fargo. (Salem.)

ALDRICH, HORACE NATHAN—'94, Detroit, Hemlock; '97, Mills Memorial, Port Huron; '00, Epworth, Saginaw; '03, L'Anse; '08, Crystal Falls; '11, Oregon, Central Point; '13, Cottage Grove; '16, Leslie, Salem. (348 Myers St.)

ATKINSON, HENRY T.—'94, Oregon, Clatskanie; '95, Canby; '97, Silverton; '99, McMinnville; '03, Clark and City Missions, Portland; '06, Juneau, Alaska; '09, Ketchikan, Alaska; '11, McMinnville; '13, Supernumerary; '16, Buena Vista.

AVISON, RICHARD NOBLE—'88, Minnesota, Farmington; '91, Owatonna; '95, Clinton Avenue, St. Paul; '97, Northfield; '00, Presiding Elder; '00, Hamline Street, St. Paul; '10, Oregon, First Salem. (Salem.)

BELKNAP, FRANKLIN L.—'93, Oregon, Dayton; '96, Silverton; '97, Halsey; '99, Woodburn; '00, Forest Grove; '06, Hillsboro; '11, Lebanon; '12, Supernumerary; '15, Conference Evangelist; '16, Yainax; '17, Central Point.

BENNETT, GEORGE H.—'88, Michigan; '13, Oregon, Dallas; '16, Klamath Falls; '17, Albany.

BLACKWELL, R. C.—'96, Oregon, Central Point; '97, Springfield; '99, Leslie, Salem; '02, Lincoln; '03, Medford; '05, Oregon City; '10, Hillsboro; '11, Nome, Alaska; '12, Juneau, Alaska.

BRACKENBURY, A. C.—'94, Wyoming; '03, Oregon, Clackamas and

Oswego; '04, North Yamhill; '05, Dallas; '07, McMinnville; '11, Leslie, Salem; '13, Brownsville; '15, Gresham; '17, Laurelwood, Portland. (4229 63rd St., S. E.)

BISHOP, ROBERT SANDERS—'09, Oregon, Merrill; '09, Boring; '10, Tualatin; '12, Gardiner; '13, Creswell; '17, Brownsville.

BRISTOL, BIRT ASBURY—'99, Oregon, Merrill; '00, Falls City; '03, Toledo; '04, Canyonville; '05, Wilbur; '07, Central Point; '09, Ten Mile; '10, Monroe; '11, Jefferson; '14, Clackamas; '15, Banks; '17, Viola and Clarke.

BRITAIN, ALFRED A.—'08, Puget Sound, Buckley; '10, Castle Rock; '12, Pi Ell; '13, Arlington; '15, Custer; '16, Oregon, Sutherland.

BROWN, JOHN MONTCLAM—'94, Northwest Indiana, Wanata; '96, LeRoy; '97, Rose Lawn; '98, Vudenburg; '01, Linden; '03, Crown Point; '06, Monticello; '09, Idaho, Buhl; '12, Oregon, Nehalem; '14, Jason Lee, Salem; '16, Dallas; '17, Gresham.

CALDER, ALONZO BEACOM—Meth. Ch. of Canada; '89, Upper Iowa, Oxford Jch.; '90, Morrison; '92, Union; '94, Inland; '97, Stacyville; '02, Brownville; '03, Northern Minnesota, Proctor, Duluth; '05, Mora; '06, Duluth; '08, Oregon, Bay City; '10, Pleasant Home; '12, Yamhill; '13, Trinity, Portland; '16, Clinton Kelly, Portland; '17, Clackamas. (858 E. 37th St., Portland.)

COLEMAN, JOHN FRANKLIN—'08, North Nebraska, Niobrara; '09, Inman; '11, (discontinued at own request), Supply, Clearwater, Nebr.; '13, (readmitted, Oregon, Molalla; '15, Clackamas; '17, Marquam.

COOK, CLAUDE T.—'01, Col. River, Wild Rose; '02, Rathrim, Idaho; '04, Rockford; '06, West Kittatas; '08, Arlington; '09, Oregon, Rainier; '12, Laurelwood; '13, Seward, Alaska; '16, Junction City.

CAIN, J. D.—'94, Mo., Chula; '97, Rothville; '99, Clarence; '01, Hale; '02, Bosworth; '05, Cody, Wyoming Mission; '06, Des Moines, Lanesboro; '07, Madrid; '08, Bagley; '11, Spearfish, S. D., Black Hills, Miss.; '11, Col. River, Harrington; '13, Miss. to Utah; '16, Pasco; '17, Oregon, Halsey.

CHRISTENSEN, NELS A.—'17, Oregon, Lakeview.

COOPER, HARVEY O.—'13, Col. River; '13, Puget Sound, Yacolt; '15, Ridgefield; '17, Oregon, Hubbard.

CARLOS, C. R.—'89, Illinois; '15, Oregon, Laurelwood, Portland; '17, Canby.

- CLEMO, F. S.—'92, Montana; '01, Oregon, Cornelius; '03, Beaverton; '04, Marquam; '05, Canby; '06, Junction City; '07, Wilbur; '08, Canyonville; '09, Wilderville; '11, Elkton; '12, Toledo; '13, Shedd; '16, Jefferson.
- DEWART, S. H.—'83, Minnesota; '04, Oregon, Woodlawn, Portland; '07, Albany; '08, St. Johns; '09, Silverton; '11, Cornelius; '12, Linn-ton; '13, Dilley; '14, Linnton.
- DANFORD, SAMUEL ALEXANDER—'95, North Dakota, Kenmare; '98, La Moure; '00, Jamestown; '04, Fargo District; '15, Oregon, Conference Evangelist; '16, Springfield.
- DONEY, CARL GREGG—'93, Ohio, Bainbridge; '95, Granville; '98, St. Paul's, Delaware; '00, King Ave., Columbus; '05, Baltimore, Hamline, Washington, D. C.; '07, W. Va. Conf., Pres. W. Va. Wesleyan College; '15, Oregon, Pres. Willamette University. (Salem.)
- DREW, W. P.—'99, Des Moines; '03, Oregon, Prof. Willamette U.; '06, Prof. in Knox College, Galesburg, Ill.
- DECKER, EDWIN GEORGE—'99, Southern Cal., Mesa, Arizona; '01, Winslow, Arizona; '02, Kingman, Arizona; '04, Williams, Arizona; '06, Globe, Arizona; '10, Bisbee, Arizona; '13, Puget Sound Bremerton; '16, Oregon, Woodburn.
- DEVENPORT, RUSSELL, J.—'84, Northwest Iowa, Pennington and Beloit; '86, Hartley; '87, Ireton; '88, West Nebraska, Chadron; '89, Gordon; '90, Agt. Neb. Wes. University; '91, Douglas, Wyo., Miss.; '99, Supernumerary; '00, Retired; '07, Colorado, Avondale and Olney; '10, Supernumerary; '15, Oregon, Mountain View; '16, Wilbur.
- DOWNS, THOMAS HENRY—Meth. Ch. of Canada; '95, Wisconsin, Abrams; '97, Kingston; '99, Dartford; '90, Hickory; '90, Racine; '93, Puget Sound, Winlock; '97, Oregon, Junction City; '10, Silverton; '11, Cornelius; '13, Canby; '15, Coquille; '17, Drain.
- DRAKE, FRANCIS GIBBONS—'98, West Wisconsin, Woodville; '99, Lucas; '01, Pepin; '02, Col. River, Tekoa; '03, Waverly; '04, Post Falls; '05, Huntsville; '05, Starbuck; '07, Oregon, Brooks; '09, Willamina; '10, Turner; '12, Coburg; '13, Harrisburg; '16, Myrtle Point.
- DUNLAP, ROBERT ELMER—'95, Oregon, Cornelius; '96, Warren-ton; '98, Tillamook; '99, Canby; '02, Dayton; '05, Klamath District; '13, Forest Grove.
- DARK, CHARLES LESLIE—Methodist Protestant, Cuba, Ill.; '11, Houlton; '12, Rainier; '15, Sheridan.



DUNLOP, JOHN F.—'93, Iowa, Little Rock; '95, Superior; '96, Stratford; '97, Menville; '98, Mt. Hope; '99, Larabee; '00, Montana, Red Lodge; '03, Big Timber; '08, Oregon, Tillamook; '10, Gresham; '11, Creswell; '13, Junction City; '14, Drain; '17, Banks and North Plains.

EDWARDS, CHAS. A.—Idaho; '17, Oregon, Ashland.

ELDRIDGE, E. OLEN—'76, Baltimore; '09, Oregon, Yoncalla; '10, Roseburg; '11, Medford; '14, Mt. Tabor, Portland. (1607 East Stark St.)

FISHER, A. N.—'62, E. Genessee; '00, Editor Pacific Christian Advocate; '04, Secretary of Japanese City Missions on Pacific Coast; '06, Librarian and Lecturer on Historic Methodism, Kimball College of Theology; '12, Sec. Systematic Beneficence. (71 So. Euclid Ave., Pasadena, Cal.)

FORD, THOMAS B.—'68, Miss. and Ark.; '96, Oregon, Eugene Dist.; '04, Sunnyside, Portland; '08, Col. River; '12, Oregon, Oregon City; '15, Salem Dist. (Salem.)

FRY, WILLIAM H.—'96, Meth. Ch. of Canada; '10, Oregon, Sunnyside, Portland; '14, Supt. Hawaii Mission. (Honolulu.)

FIELDS, D. LESTER—'01, Oregon, Toledo; '02, Shedd; '07, Yamhill; '08, Leslie, Salem; '11, Dallas; '13, McMinnville.

GIBSON, CHAS. E.—'87, Col. River, Endicott; '88, Pullman; '89, Rockford; '92, Asotin; '94, Oaksdale; '97, Moscow District; '01, Walla Walla District; '04, St. Paul, Spokane; '07, N. Yakima; '10, Spokane Dist.; '16, Oregon, Albany; '17, Tillamook.

GILBERT, ERNEST E.—'95, (in school) Northwest Iowa; '98, Armstrong; '01, Ireton; '04, Cherokee; '07, Ida Grove; '11, Le Mars; '17, Oregon, Oregon City.

GORDON, WILLIAM STEWARD—'97, Oregon, Drain; '00, Turner; '02, Leslie, Salem; '05, Gardiner; '07, Coquille; '08, Albany; '11, Woodburn; '13, Astoria. (527 Grand Ave.)

GOULD, HIRAM—'88, Oregon, Shedd; '90, Jefferson; '91, Corvallis; '95, Halsey; '96, Dallas; '99, Lebanon; '00, Newberg; '06, Forest Grove; '13, Woodburn; '14, Newberg; '16, Marshfield.

GREEN, JAMES S.—'95, Nebraska, Norfolk; '95, North Loop; '97, Archer; '99, Scotia; '90, Bartlett; '01, Wolbach; '03, Alda; '04, Boone; '08, Cedar Rapids; '09, California, Eagleville; '11, Oregon, Gardiner; '14, Halsey; '15, Brownsville; '17, Creswell.

GRAY, G. A.—'06, Central Ohio, Bowling Green; '06, Bellefontaine

Ct.; '07, Oregon, Jacksonville; '09, Canyonville; '12, Marcola; '14, Sandy; '15, Beaverton.

HAMILTON, CHAS. L.—'90, Nebr.; '02, Oregon, Lebanon; '03, McMinnville; '04, Hillsboro; '06, Newberg; '08, Central, Portland; '12, Mt. Tabor, Portland; '14, University Park, Portland; '16, Montavilla, Portland. (36, E. 80th St.)

HOLLINGSHEAD, W. B.—'85, East Ohio; '97, Oregon, Astoria; '99, Eugene; '01, Centenary, Portland; '04, Portland Dist.; '11, University Park, Portland; '12, Sec. Apportionments. (740 Rush St., Chicago.)

HISEY, ALBERT S.—'05, North Nebraska, Pilger; '06, Milford; '07, Epworth, Lincoln; '10, Oregon, North Bend; '16, St. Helens.

HEIST, AARON ALLEN—'08, Oregon, Warrenton; '10, St. Helens; '13, Rock River, Steward; '13, Clare; '14, Sheldon; '16, Oregon, Rose City Park, Portland. (1485 Sacramento St.)

HANSON, ANDREW F.—'10, Northern Minnesota, Fisher, Hubbard and St. Helaire; '11, Donaldson; '12, Minnesota, Glenville; '15, North Montana, Redstone; '16, Whitetail; '17, Oregon, Falls City.

HAMMOND, EVERATT STETSON—'94, New England Southern, Cochesett, Mass.; '96, Hope, R. I.; '99, Portsmouth, R. I.; '00, Supernumerary; '01, E. Blackstone, Mass.; '04, Mapleville and Glendale, R. I.; '06, Catanmat; '09, South and East Hearwich, Mass.; '10, Prof. Hist. Theo. Kimball College of Theology; '13, Oregon, Prof. Hist. Theo., Kimball College of Theology. (Salem.)

HOCKING, RICHARD—'88, N. Dakota; '97, Oregon; '09, Monroe; '10, Shedd; '13, Stayton; '14, Yoncalla; '16, Gardiner.

IRVINE, JAMES H.—'89, East Maine, Danforth; '90, Calais; '95, Clinton; '98, Dover; '02, Castine; '06, Washburn; '07, Presque Isle; '10, Thomaston; '11, Oregon, Bay City and Nehalem; '12, Jason Lee, Salem; '14, Cornelius; '15, Silverton; '16, St. Johns. (211 W. Leavitt, Portland.)

INGALLS, W. EDWIN—'01, North Indiana, Elkhart Circuit; '01, Corunna; '03, Harlan; '06, Trenton; '06, Oregon, Lents; '09, Supernumerary; '10, Trinity, Portland; '11, Supernumerary; '13, St. Johns; '16, Jason Lee, Memorial, Salem; '17, Amity.

JAMES, FRANK—'07, Mich., Doral; '09, Oregon, Linnton; '11, Epworth, Portland; '13, Woodstock, Portland; '16, Lebanon.

JOHNSTON, CHAS. P.—Idaho; '17, Oregon, Dallas.

JASPER, FRANKLIN, MERRILL—'08, Oregon, Mehamah and Lyons;

'09, Hope Chapel; '14, Brooks; '16, Lents and Bennett Chapel, (5703 83rd S. E., Portland.)

KESTER, SYLVAN JAMES—'02, Colorado, Sheridan Lake; '04, Lamar Circuit; '05, Georgetown; '06, Glenwood Springs; '07, Oregon, Clinton Kelly, Portland; '09, Dayton; '13, Sheridan; '14, Gardiner; '15, Metzger; '17, Warrenton and Hammond.

KLOSTER, WM. E.—'96, West Wisconsin, Washburn; '97, Grantsburg; '99, Greenwood; '01, Shell Lake; '06, New Richmond; '12, Colo. River, Richland; '15, Dufur; '16, Oregon, Woodlawn, Portland. (1347 E. 10th N.)

KEAGY, FRANKLIN W.—'00, Central Indiana; '16, Oregon, Seaside; '17, Patton, Portland.

KNOTTS, JOSEPH—'07, Oregon, Lafayette; '10, Junction City; '13, Marshfield; '16, Cottage Grove.

LOCKHART, EDWIN BAYARD—'01, Oregon, Central Point; '03, Silverton; '04, Col. River, Garfield, Wash.; '06, Union Park, Spokane; '15, Oregon, Stayton; '17, Clinton Kelly and Lincoln, Portland.

LACY, ADDIS F.—'07, Oregon, North Bend; '08, Lebanon; '11, Springfield; '11, California, Auburn; '13, Dunsmore; '14, Ione; '16, Oregon, Tillamook; '17, Jason Lee Memorial, Salem.

LANE, THOMAS W.—'77, East Ohio, Freeport; '78, Edinburg; '80, Roolstown; '82, Bristolville; '85, Girard; '88, Bellaire; '92, Barnsville; '93, Uhrichville; '96, Alliance; '00, Cleveland District; '05, First, East Liverpool; '07, West Virginia, Fourth St., Wheeling; '10, Puget Sound, First, Tacoma; '14, Oregon, Centenary, Portland. (644 E. Ankeny.)

LEECH DAVID H.—'97, Col. River, Antelope; '99, Oregon, North Yamhill; '02, Summit; '03, Woodburn; '07, Corvallis; '09, Grants Pass; '11, Albany; '15, Corvallis.

MACLEAN, A. R.—'87, So. Kan.; '08, Oregon, Grants Pass; '09, Woodburn; '11, Roseburg; '14, Sellwood, Portland. (588 Tacoma Ave.)

McCULLOCH, C. O.—'73, Central Illinois; '11, Oregon, Clinton Kelly, Portland; '13, Epworth, Portland. (887 Xavier St.)

MACE, EDGAR SUTTON—'85, Wilmington, Wicomoco, Md.; '86, Selbyville, Del.; '87, St. Peters, Md.; '90, Preston, Md.; '91, Frankford, Del.; '92, Chester Bethel, Pa.; '95, Cordova, Md.; '97, Wilmington; '00, Central N. Y., Jacksonville; '01, Blossburg, Pa.; '06, Savannah, N. Y.; '07, Prof. His. and Bible, Union College, Barborville, Ky.; '09, Coquille, Ore.; '11, Oregon, Stayton; '13, Myrtle Point; '16, North Bend; '17, Metzger and Tigard.



- MARCY, MILTON ASA—'13, Oregon, Falls City; '15, Dayton.
- MICKEY, JOHN J.—'03, N. W. Kansas, Hoxie; '04, Gove; '06, Kanopolis; '11, Bennington; '12, Oregon, Marcola; '13, Bandon; '14, Turner.
- MOORE, DANIEL WEBSTER—'04, Minnesota, Hauska; '06, Afton; '07, North St. Paul; '08, Rich Valley; '10, South Dakota, Lennox; '11, Claremont; '11, Linnton, Ore.; '12, Woodstock, Ore.; '13, Oregon, Supernumerary; '16, Monroe Circuit.
- MOORE, JAMES—'98, Oregon, Myrtle Point; '01, Drain; '03, Dallas; '05, Mt. Tabor; '07, Woodburn; '09, Salem District; '15, Albany; '16, Dist. (Eugene.)
- MYERS, R. EUGENE—'93, Oklahoma, Edmond; '96, Student, U. of Denver; '98, Stillwater; '01, Ponca; '03, Ohio, Kinsman; '05, Richmond; '08, Oregon, Seaside; '09, Laurelwood, Portland; '10, Patton, Portland; '12, Lakeview; '13, Hillsboro; '16, Newberg.
- McPHERSON, C. T.—'96, M. E. Ch. So., Pendleton; '97, Genesee, Idaho; '98, Walla Walla, Wash.; '99, Oregon, Junction; '00, University Park, Portland; '02, Canby; '03, Marshfield; '05, Medford; '06, Estacada; '07, Epworth, Portland; '11, Trinity, Portland; '13, Clatskanie; '15, Supernumerary; '16, Assistant Pastor Sunnyside, Portland. (861 E. Main, Portland.)
- MOORE, W. BOYD—'94, Oregon, Shedd; '99, Medford; '03, North Yamhill; '04, Clackamas and Oswego; '09, Lents; '15, Canby; '17, Coburg.
- OLIVER, GEORGE OSCAR—'05, Oregon, Jefferson; '07, Turner; '09, Salem Circuit; '10, Lafayette; '11, Seaside; '13, Amity; '17, Klamath Falls.
- POOR, LESTER CLARENCE—'97, North Indiana, Assistant Pastor, Trinity, Elkhart; '99, Atlanta; '01, South Whitley; '04, Galveston; '07, Logansport; '07, Sellwood, Portland; '08, Oregon, Sellwood, Portland; '10, Astoria; '11, Ashland; '13, University Park, Portland; '14, Woodburn; '16, Woodstock, Portland. (4319 Woodstock.)
- PARSONS, JOHN—'77, Oregon, Port Townsend; '78, Tacoma; '79, Astoria; '82, Eugene; '83, Dayton; '85, Mt. Tabor; '89, Oregon City; '91, Forest Grove; '92, Salem District; '98, First, Salem; '03, Supt. Alaska Missions; '13, Clinton Kelly, Portland; '15, Nome, Alaska. (Portland, Ore., R. A. Bx. 518.)
- POGUE, COLONEL WALTER—'06, Oregon, Bridalveil; '09, Eagleville, Cal.; '10, Ballston; '11, Nevada Mission; '12, Jonesville, Cal.; '15, Doyle, Cal.; '16, Viola; '17, Nehalem.

- PAROUNAGIAN, MARCUS B.—'93, Vermont, South Reading; '95, Greensboro Bend; '96, Walden and South Walden; '99, Pittsfield; '02, Sheldon; '04, North Indiana, Spiceland; '06, Farmland; '07, Oregon, Estacada; '08, Gresham; '10, Brownsville; '13, Sunday School Missionary. (346 S. 23rd St., Salem.)
- PACEY, J. J.—'09, Mich.; '14, Oregon, Gardiner; '16, Yoncalla; '17, Rainier and Deer Island.
- PARKINSON, GEORGE H.—'02, S. W. Kans., Stafford; '03, Thornton, Ill.; '06, Burns, Kans.; '08, Halstead, Kans.; '09, Braintree, Mass.; '16, Newton Center, Mass.; '16, Oregon, Eugene.
- PATTON, J. J.—'04, Oregon, Viola; '07, Dayton; '09, Seaside; '11, St. Johns; '13, Fairbanks, Alaska; '16, Seward, Alaska.
- RICHARDS, E. C.—'13, Oregon, Klamath Falls; '16, Secretary Education, Willamette University. (1550 State St., Salem.)
- ROLLINS, J. C.—(Cong. Ch.); '10, Oregon, Corvallis; '15, Medford.
- RARICK, CHAS. C.—'92, S. W. Kansas, Kiowa; '93, Bluff City; '94, Arkansas City Circuit; '96, Attica; '97, Colo. Conf., Akron; '02, Loveland; '05, Delta; '06, Oregon, Astoria; '10, Mt. Tabor, Portland; '12, Central, Portland. (217 Morris Street.)
- REES, CLARENCE B.—'10, Oregon, Beaverton; '13, Estacada; '15, (Located at own request.) '16, re-admitted, Shedd's.
- RUMMELL, HARRY WALLACE—'05, North Nebr., Clearwater; '07, Page; '09, Plainview Circuit; '09, Oregon, Bonanza; '10, Ten Mile; '12, Jacksonville; '13, Wilbur; '16, Paisley.
- ROYSTON, FREDRICK R.—Oklahoma; '17, Oregon, Oswego and Tualatin.
- SANDIFUR, F. N.—'95, Indiana; '08, Oregon, Rainier; '09, St. Johns; '11, Independence; '14, St. Helens; '16, Trinity, Portland; '17, Leave of Absence.
- SCHWARTZ, H. W.—(Japan); '07, Oregon, Sendai, Japan.
- SMITH, ERNEST M.—'09, Oregon, Houlton; '10, Drain; '11, in school; '12, Sandy; '14, Nehalem; '16, Silverton.
- SMITH, L. F.—'87, Nebr.; '06, Oregon, Trinity, Portland; '10, Conf. Evangelist; '11, Banks; '13, Pleasant Home and Boring; '15, Conf. Evangelist.
- SMITH, ROBERT ELMER—'94, New Eng., Chester; '96, Bondsville; '98, Spencer; '01, E. Main, First Church, Bangor; '03, N. E. South-

- ern, Hazardville; '04, Cent. Ill., Galva.; '08, Normal; '10, Honolulu, Hawaii; '14, Oregon, Sunnyside, Portland. (1064 E. Yamhill.)
- SPIESS, HENRY—(M. E. Ch., So.); '05, Oregon, Marquam; '07, Cornelius; '08, Beaverton; '10, Clackamas; '13, Supernumerary; '14, Yamhill; '15, Estacada.
- STANSFIELD, JOSHUA—'87, Detroit, Wyandotte; '92, Port Huron; '97, Palmer Memorial, Detroit; '99, Bay City; '01, Meridian St., Indianapolis; '16, Oregon, First, Portland. (221 Eleventh St.)
- SKIPWORTH, WALTON—'85, Oregon, Springfield; '86, Ashland; '87, Lebanon; '89, Jacksonville; '90, Mt. Tabor, Portland; '93, Col. River, Union; '96, Dayton, Wash.; '98, Lewiston, Idaho; '01, The Dalles; '05, The Dalles Dist.; '11, Sand Point, Idaho; '12, Oregon, Newberg; '14, Grants Pass; '15, Lebanon; '16, Hillsboro.
- SHERWOOD, EDWIN—'95, Ohio, Jeffersonville; '98, Kingston; '02, Thornville; '04, Summerset; '07, Prof. Willamette U.; '09, Prof. Kimball College of Theology; '13, Oregon, Prof. Kimball College Theology. (Salem.)
- SNYDER, FRED W.—'13, Oregon, Lorane; '15, Monroe; '16, Molalla.
- SPENCER, JOHN CARROLL—'01, Cal., Evergreen; '01, Rock River, Stony Island; '01, Vincent; '04, Loomis St.; '06, Parkside, Prospect Ave. and So. Englewood; '11, Oregon, Marquam; '11 Silverton; '13, Leslie, Salem; '16, Roseburg.
- TUFTS, GEORGE LEWIS—'84, Cincinnati, Montgomery; '87, Springfield; '89, Cedarville; '02, Harrison; '94, Cincinnati; '97, Red Lion; '99, New Carlisle; '02, Field Sec. Anti Saloon League of Indiana; '03, Supt. Anti Saloon League of Oregon; '04, Oregon; '06, Field Sec. Int. Reform Bureau; '08, Sec. Methodist Fed. for Social Service; '17, Conf. Evangelist, Hood River.
- VAN MARTER, C. M.—'95, N. W. Iowa; '07, Oregon, Conf. Evangelist; '14, Seaside; '16, Ketchikan, Alaska.
- VAN FOSSEN, HARMON JESSE—'77, Minnesota, Heron Lake; '78, Le Sueur; '81, Richfield; '84, Monticello; '85, North Ch.; '87, Twenty-fourth St.; '89, Holston, Luttrell St., Knoxville, Tenn.; '92, Minnesota, Lake St., Minn.; '96, Monticello; '03, Holston, Highland Park, Chattanooga, Tenn.; '04, Johnson City; '05, Oregon, Drain; '06, Ashland; '11, Astoria; '13, Klamath Dist. (Ashland.)
- WENTZELL, G. J.—'08, Oregon, Cedarville, Cal.; '09, Lakeview; '10, Supernumerary; '14, Miss. in Nevada.



WESTERVELT, J. H.—'99, Ohio; '09, Cedarville, Cal.; '17, Leave of Absence.

WILSON, CLARENCE TRUE—'92, Wilmington; '05, Oregon, Grace, Portland; '07, Centenary, Portland; Sec. Board of Tem., Prohi. and Public Morals. (204 Penn. Ave., S. E., Washington, D. C.)

WALL, OREN—'03, Indiana, Bellville Circuit; '04, Hiltonville; '07, Gosport; '11, Oregon, Yoncalla; '14, Buena Vista; '16, Scholls and Farmington. (Hillsboro, R. R. No. 2.)

WARRELL, JOHN WM.—'12, Oregon, Klamath Indian Mission; '14, Ballston.

WARREN, WM. JOSEPH—'13, Wilderville; '15, Falls City; '16, West Salem; '17, Stayton.

WIRE, MELVILLE THOMAS—'02, Oregon, Brownsville; '04, Drain; '05, Patton, Portland; '08, Col. River, The Dalles; '10, Oregon, Lakeview; '12, Gresham; '15, Grants Pass.

YARNES, THOMAS DAVID—'11, Oregon, Brooks; '14, West Salem; '16, Independence.

YOUNG, ROBERT CARL—'12, Oregon, Port Orford; '13, Elkton; '14, Jefferson; '16, Nehalem; '17, Oak Grove, Kendall and Westmoreland.

YOUNGSON, WILLIAM WALLACE—'95, Pittsburg, Redstone Circuit; '97, Vandergrift; '01, Crafton; '05, Newark, Elizabeth, N. J.; '08, Park Avenue, East Orange, N. J.; '13, Oregon, Rose City Park, Portland; '16, Portland Dist. (691 E. 62nd N., Portland.)

#### SUPERNUMERARIES.

LAWRENCE, C. H.—(5) '12, Oregon, Springfield; '13, Supernumerary.

MULLIGAN, A. S.—(1) '88, Col. River; '92, Oregon; '96, Mt. Tabor, '00, Roseburg; '02, Col. River; '13, Oregon, Sheridan; '15, Rainier; '16, Supernumerary.

RUTLEDGE, H. I.—(5) '99, Iowa; '08, Oregon, Marshfield; '13, Supernumerary.

WEBER, W. J.—(2) '06, S. W. Kans.; '07, Oregon, Canby; '12, Independence; '11, Hillsboro; '13, Tillamook; '14, Lakeview; '16, Supernumerary.

**UNDERGRADUATES—Fourth Year.**

HALL, SIDNEY WM.—'14, Oregon, Bonanza; '16, Brooks.

LUTHER, EDWARD T.—'11, Oregon, Hammond; '12, St. Helens; '14, Dayton; '15, Retired.

NICHOLL, WILLIAM—'14, Oregon, Liberty; '16, Silverton. (Gervias, R. R. No. 1.)

**Third Year.**

CURTIS, CHESLEY E.—(Col. River); '12, Oregon, Clatskanie; '13, Buena Vista; '14, Oak Grove; '15, Molalla; '16, Miss. in Nevada.

HARRISON, CHAS. B.—'15, Westmoreland; '16, Willamina.

JOHNSON, S. DARLOW—'07, N. W. Iowa, Charter Oak; '08, Arthur; '09, First, Sioux City (Assistant Pastor); '12, Sergeant Bluff; '14, Supernumerary; '15, Oregon, Clatskanie.

**Second Year.**

BREWSTER, BERNARD CHESLEY—'15, Oregon, Fairview; '17, Liberty.

DESCHNER, PHILLIPP—'15, Oregon, Supt. Port. Indust. Home, Portland; '16, Field Sec. Anti-Saloon League.

HUTCHINSON, R. A.—'15, Oregon, Jacksonville; '17, Sutherlin.

THOMPSON, J. WEST—'15, Oregon, Clinton Kelly, Portland; '16, In School.

VAN WINKLE, J. STANLEY—'16, Lyons; '17, Bandon and Port Orford.

**First Year.**

BATES, ALFRED—'17, Oregon, Lafayette.

COTTON, EARL B.—'17, Oregon, East Salem.

DOXSEE, HAROLD M.—'15, Oregon, Irving; '17, Lowell Circuit.

GREEN, PAUL F.—'17, Oregon, Carus and Central.

HAWTHORN, ALEXANDER—'17, Oregon, Livesley.

KEEFER, CHAS. MURRAY—'17, Oregon, Marcola.

MAULDEN, ROBERT W.—'16, Oregon, Westmoreland, Portland; '17, In School.

REETZ, CARL A.—'16, Oregon, Lafayette; '17, In School.

SPIESS, GUSTAVUS A.—'17, Oregon, Boring and Sandy.

WOODFIN, JOHN D.—'17, Oregon, Pringle and Waconda.

RETIRED MINISTERS

NAME	ADMITTED			P. O. ADDRESS (In State of Oregon unless otherwise designated)
	Where First	When	When Oregon	
Browne, W. R. F....	North Dakota....	1894	1904	6427 82d St. Portland...
Buckner, N. S.....	Illinois.....	1866	1893	675 Sinex Av. Pac. Gr. Cal
Calder, F. H.....	Nebraska.....	1879	1888	Renton, Wash.....
Chandler, L. W.....	Central Tennessee	1881	1913	Forest Grove.....
Cline, C. E.....	S. Illinois.....	1868	1888	709 East Salmon Street Portland
Cochran, L. G.....	Central Illinois...	1881	1900	Upland, California.....
Coslet, Alonzo.....			1903	Redmond.....
Fairchild, A. C.....	Oregon.....	1861		435 W. 6th, Long Bch., Cal
Gittins, E.....	Oregon.....	1884		1490 S. Cottage, Salem:
Hoberg, J.....	Oregon.....	1861		McMinnville.....
Jahn, G. A.....	Pacific German...	1911		R F D 1, Milwaukee....
Jones, T. L.....	Oregon.....	1877		Brownsville.....
Kerr, W. T.....	Central Illinois...	1877	1895	1210 Mississippi Ave. Portland
Lewis, C. A.....	Nebraska.....	1877	1889	Oak Grove.....
Lisle, James.....	Des Moines.....	1862	1910	1041 So. 13th St. Salem
Luther, Ed T.....	Oregon.....	1911		
Meminger, S. E.....	Central Penna....	1883	1889	Roseburg.....
Moore, Jas. T.....	East Maine.....	1890	1909	Springfield.....
Myers, W. H.....	S. W. Kansas.....	1886	1892	Elkton.....
Oberg, H.....	Oregon.....	1891		Fairview.....
Rees, C. M.....	N. Dakota.....	1887	1901	Gilford, Mont.....
Round, G. F.....	M. E. Ch., South	1865	1888	Newberg.....
Snyder, Samuel....	N. W. Iowa.....	1881	1898	Hathaway, Mont.....
Stephens, D. G.....	Wyoming.....	1872	1894	Woodlawn.....
Stockwell, C. A....	Wisconsin.....	1872	1902	Marquam.....
Stratford, J. L.....	So. Kansas.....	1880	1892	Creswell.....
Summerville, D. T..	So. Kansas.....	1876	1913	788 Amherst St., Portl'd
Sleeth, Asa.....	S. E. Indiana.....	1870	1903	1025 Michigan Av, Port'd
Watters, D. A.....	Iowa.....	1874	1890	321 E. 8th N. Portland
Wire, M. C.....	Rock River.....	1876	1884	Newberg.....
Wolfe, David.....	Minnesota.....	1889	1891	Boring.....



## Conference Officers

**President**—Bishop Matthew Simpson Hughes, DD., LL.D., 406 East Twenty-fourth Street, Portland, Oregon.

**Secretary**—C. C. Rarick, 217 Morris Street, Portland, Oregon.

**Assistants**—Frank James, H. N. Aldrich, F. G. Drake.

**Statistican**—D. Lester Fields, McMinnville, Oregon.

**Assistants**—H. T. Atkinson, C. B. Rees, C. B. Harrison.

**Treasurer**—C. O. McCulloch, 877 Xavier Street, Portland, Oregon.

**Assistants**—F. S. Clemo, G. A. Gray, C. R. Carlos, R. C. Young, W. E. Ingalls, A. B. Calder.

**Conference Postmaster**—Stanford Moore.

**Railroad Secretary**—W. B. Moore.

## Boards and Committees

### CONFERENCE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

The District Superintendents, the District Missionary Secretaries, the District Epworth League Presidents, ex-officio, and one Sunday School Superintendent and one Layman from each district as follows:

**Eugene District**—L. L. Lewis, Eugene; R. K. Ohling, Albany.

**Klamath District**—G. W. Gregg, Ashland; F. H. Churchill, Roseburg.

**Portland District**—J. A. Bamford, Portland; W. H. Warren, Portland.

**Salem District**—A. A. Lee, Salem; B. F. Ford, Stayton.

**Officers**—A. A. Lee, President; B. F. Ford, Vice-President; W. H. Warren, Secretary; G. W. Gregg, Treasurer.

### CONFERENCE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

The District Superintendents ex-officio; C. O. McCulloch, Port-

land; E. A. Baker, Portland; O. C. Bortzmeyer, Portland; A. M. Smith, Portland; R. A. Booth, Eugene; A. A. Lee, Salem; R. N. Avison, Salem; E. E. Gilbert, Oregon City; L. C. Poor, Portland; T. W. Lane, Portland.

### CONFERENCE BOARD OF EXAMINERS

A. S. Hisey, Chairman; M. T. Wire, Registrar; G. H. Parkinson, L. C. Poor, D. Lester Fields, W. S. Gordon, A. A. Heist, D. H. Leech, E. G. Decker, A. R. Maclean, G. O. Oliver, E. C. Richards, Edwin Sherwood, J. C. Spencer, C. L. Dark, R. E. Dunlap, Joseph Knotts, J. M. Brown, E. E. Gilbert.

### CONFERENCE BOARD OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS

The District Superintendents, ex-officio; J. T. Abbett, President; E. G. Decker, Vice-President; R. E. Myers, Secretary; L. F. Belknap, Treasurer; C. A. Rice, J. W. Zimmerman, A. E. Austin, C. A. Meeker.

### CONFERENCE MISSIONARY SECRETARIES

**Eugene District**—Frank James.

**Klamath District**—G. O. Oliver.

**Portland District**—S. D. Johnson.

**Salem District**—M. A. Marcy.

### BOARD OF CONFERENCE RELATIONS

Term to expire 1918, Hiram Gould, J. D. Cain, R. E. Dunlap; term to expire 1919, W. S. Gordon, E. E. Gilbert, J. S. Green; term to expire 1920, T. W. Lane, R. E. Smith, A. R. Maclean.

### CONFERENCE BOARD OF STEWARDS

Term to expire 1918, S. A. Danford, M. B. Parounagian, Joseph Knotts; term to expire 1919, A. A. Heist, C. L. Hamilton, J. C. Spencer; term to expire 1920, Geo. H. Parkinson, D. H. Leech, E. C. Richards.

### CONFERENCE TRUSTEES

Term to expire 1918, Hiram Gould; term to expire 1919, D. H. Leech, term to expire 1920, R. E. Dunlap.

**TRUSTEES CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS PERMANENT FUND**

Term to expire 1918, Hiram Gould; term to expire 1919, D. H. Leech, term to expire 1920, R. E. Dunlap.

**CONFERENCE BOARD OF DEACONESSES**

Term to expire 1918, Mrs. A. R. Maclean, T. W. Lane, Joshua Stansfield; term to expire 1919, R. E. Smith, Mrs. M. S. Hughes, W. W. Youngson; term to expire 1920, R. E. Dunlap, C. C. Rarick, Mrs. Geo. R. Johnson.

**INCORPORATION OF CHURCHES**

T. B. Ford, Walton Skipworth, T. W. Lane, R. N. Avison, I. H. Van Winkle, J. W. Reynolds, R. A. Booth.

**CONFERENCE FINANCE COMMISSION**

A. R. Maclean, J. C. Spencer, D. H. Leech, R. A. Booth, Eugene; E. A. Baker, Portland; D. A. Lawton, Medford; A. A. Lee, Salem.

**TRIERS OF APPEALS**

R. E. Smith, R. N. Avison, Walton Skipworth, D. Lester Fields; reserves, Joseph Knotts, J. S. Greene.

**THE MISSIONARY SERMON**

Geo. H. Bennett; alternate, Joshua Stansfield.

**COMMISSION ON SALE AND EXCHANGE OF CHURCH  
PROPERTY**

Resident Bishop and District Superintendents.

**CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS ENDOWMENT COMMISSION****District Superintendents**

Eugene District—D. H. Leech, Geo. H. Parkinson, R. A. Booth, A. M. Hammer.

**Klamath District**—M. T. Wire, A. C. Marsters, H. L. Gilkey, J. C. Rollins.

**Portland District**—Joshua Stansfield, T. W. Lane, A. M. Smith, A. F. Flegel.

**Salem District**—R. N. Avison, D. L. Fields, A. A. Lee, B. L. Steeves.

### CONFERENCE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

**Committee**—John Parsons, L. F. Belknap, E. S. Hammond, C. E. Cline, J. K. Gill, Cornelius Moreland.

### COMMISSION ON POST-GRADUATE STUDY

R. N. Avison, W. W. Youngson, James Moore, Edwin Sherwood, Geo. H. Parkinson.



## Appointments

The numeral following the name indicates the year of service on that charge. Districts and charges are alphabetically arranged. Where different from name of charge, postoffice of pastor is given in brackets; also street and number where necessary. (See Conference Roll, pages 12-23.) Name of state Oregon unless otherwise indicated. Name marked with \* Undergraduates; \*\* Supplies.

### EUGENE DISTRICT.

James Moore (2), District Superintendent, Eugene, Oregon.

Albany .....	George H. Bennett	1
Bandon and Port Orford.....	*J. Stanley Van Winkle	1
Brownsville .....	R. S. Bishop	1
Buena Vista .....	**Arthur J. Armstrong	1
Coburg .....	W. B. Moore	1
Coos Bay Circuit.....	**E. H. Campbell	2
Coquille .....	**S. G. Rogers	1
Corvallis .....	D. H. Leech	3
Cottage Grove .....	Joseph Knotts	2
Creswell .....	J. S. Green	1
Drain .....	T. H. Downs	1
Elkton .....	**W. H. Myers	1
Eugene .....	G. H. Parkinson	3
Eugene Circuit.....	To be supplied	
Gardiner .....	Richard Hocking	2
Halsey .....	J. D. Cain	2
Harrisburg .....	To be supplied	
Independence .....	T. D. Yarnes	2
Irving .....	**R. M. Gatke	1
Jefferson .....	F. S. Clemo	2
Junction City .....	C. T. Cook	2
Lebanon .....	Frank James	2
Loraine Circuit.....	**C. J. Searles	1
Lowell Circuit .....	*H. M. Doxsee	1
Lyons .....	**R. M. Gatke	1
Marcola .....	*Charles M. Keefer	1

Marshfield .....	Hiram Gould	2
Monroe Circuit .....	D. W. Moore	2
Myrtle Point .....	F. G. Drake	2
North Bend .....	H. T. Atkinson	1
Shedds .....	C. B. Rees	2
Siletz Indian Mission.....	**Walter Ross	1
Springfield .....	S. A. Danford	2
Toledo .....	**C. R. Ellsworth	1
Turner .....	J. J. Mickey	5

### KLAMATH DISTRICT

H. J. Van Fossen (5), District Superintendent, Ashland, Oregon.

Ashland .....	Charles A. Edwards	1
Bonanza and Merrill.....	**R. J. Allen	1
Canyonville .....	**C. C. Coop	3
Central Point .....	L. F. Belknap	1
Gold Hill .....	To be supplied	
Grants Pass .....	M. T. Wire	3
Klamath Indian Mission (Modoc Point).....	To be supplied	
Klamath Falls .....	G. O. Oliver	1
Lakeview .....	N. A. Christensen	2
Medford .....	J. C. Rollins	3
Paisley .....	H. W. Rummell	2
Roseburg .....	J. C. Spencer	2
Roseburg Circuit (Ten Mile).....	**J. W. Blackwell	1
Sutherlin .....	*R. A. Hutchinson	1
Talent .....	**M. C. Reed	4
Wilbur .....	R. J. Devenport	2
Wilderville and Kirby.....	**C. J. Morris	1
Yainax (Beatty) .....	To be supplied	
Yoncalla .....	A. A. Brittain	1

### PORTLAND DISTRICT

W. W. Youngson (2), District Superintendent, Portland, Oregon.

Astoria .....	W. S. Gordon	5
Clatskanie and Mayger .....	S. D. Johnson	4
Knappa and Svensen.....	**R. J. L. McKelvy	1
Portland:		
Centenary .....	T. W. Lane	4

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Central .....	C. C. Rarick	6
Clinton Kelly and Lincoln.....	E. B. Lockhart	1
Epworth .....	C. O. McCulloch	5
First Church.....	Joshua Stansfield	2
Laurelwood .....	A. C. Brackenbury	1
Lents and Bennett Chapel.....	F. M. Jasper	2
Linnton .....	S. H. Dewart	6
Mt. Tabor .....	E. O. Eldridge	4
Montavilla .....	C. L. Hamilton	2
Patton .....	F. W. Keagy	1
Rose City Park.....	Aaron A. Heist	2
Sellwood .....	A. R. Maclean	4
St. Johns .....	J. H. Irvine	2
Sunnyside .....	R. E. Smith	5
	and C. T. McPherson	2
University Park .....	J. T. Abbett	2
Woodlawn .....	W. E. Kloster	2
Woodstock .....	L. C. Poor	2
Rainier and Deer Island.....	J. J. Pacey	1
Seaside .....	R. C. Blackwell	1
St. Helens and Houlton.....	A. S. Hisey	2
Warrenton and Hammond.....	S. J. Kester	1

## SALEM DISTRICT

T. B. Ford (3), District Superintendent, Salem, Oregon

Amity .....	W. E. Ingalls	1
Ballston .....	J. W. Warrell	3
Banks and North Plains.....	J. F. Dunlop	1
Bay City and Wheeler.....	**R. B. Martin	1
Beaverton .....	G. A. Gray	3
Boring and Sandy.....	*G. A. Spiess	1
Brooks .....	*S. W. Hall	2
Canby .....	C. R. Carlos	1
Carus and Central.....	*Paul Green	1
Clackamas .....	A. B. Calder	1
Cornelius .....	**J. G. Crozier	3
Dallas .....	Charles P. Johnson	1
Dayton .....	M. A. Mercy	3
Dundee .....	*J. S. Moore	2
Dilley .....	**C. W. Comstock	3
Estacada .....	Henry Spiess	3
Fairview and Rockwood.....	**T. W. Adkinson	1

Falls City .....	A. F. Hanson	1
Fargo .....	Thomas Acheson	1
Forest Grove .....	R. E. Dunlap	5
Gresham .....	J. M. Brown	1
Hillsboro .....	Walton Skipworth	2
Hubbard .....	H. O. Cooper	1
Lafayette .....	*Alfred Bates	1
Liberty .....	*B. C. Brewster	1
Livesley .....	A. Hawthorne	2
Marquam .....	J. F. Coleman	1
McMinnville .....	D. Lester Fields	5
Metzger and Tigard.....	E. S. Mace	1
Molalla .....	F. W. Snyder	2
Nehalem .....	C. W. Pogue	1
Newberg .....	R. E. Myers	2
Oregon City .....	E. E. Gilbert	2
Oak Grove, Kendall and Westmoreland.....	R. C. Young	1
Oswego and Tualatin .....	F. R. Royston	1
Pleasant Home and Troutdale.....	**F. S. Ford	2
Pringle and Waconda.....	*John D. Woodfin	1
Salem:		
First Church .....	R. N. Avison	8
Jason Lee Memorial .....	A. F. Lacey	1
Leslie .....	H. N. Aldrich	2
East Salem .....	*Earl B. Cotton	1
West Salem .....	*Erwin G. Ranton	1
Scholls and Farmington.....	Oren Wall	2
Sheridan .....	C. L. Dark	3
Silverton .....	E. M. Smith	2
	and William Nicholl	2
Stayton .....	W. J. Warren	1
Tillamook .....	Charles E. Gibson	1
Viola and Clarks.....	B. A. Bristol	1
Willamina .....	*C. B. Harrison	2
Wilsonville and Willamette.....	G. R. Abbott	3
Woodburn .....	E. G. Decker	2
Yamhill and Carlton.....	**Robert Brymer	3

### SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

A. N. Fisher, Field Secretary of Systematic Beneficence, member First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

Carl G. Doney, President Willamette University, member First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.



Clarence True Wilson, Secretary of the Board of Temperance, Prohibition, and Public Morals, Washington, D. C., member Centenary Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

W. B. Hollinghead, Secretary of Apportionments, member First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

G. L. Tufts, Conference Evangelist, member First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

W. P. Drew, Professor Knox College, Galesburg, Ill., member First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

M. B. Parounagian, Sunday School Missionary, member First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

William H. Fry, Superintendent of Hawaii Mission.

John Parsons, J. J. Patton, C. M. Van Marter, Missionaries in Alaska.

H. W. Swartz, Missionary in Japan.

C. E. Curtis and G. J. Wentzell, Missionaries in Nevada Mission.

Edwin Sherwood and E. S. Hammond, Professors in Kimball College of Theology, members of First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

L. F. Smith, Conference Evangelist, member of Sunnyside, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

E. C. Richards, Secretary of Education Willamette University. Member First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

J. West Thompson, R. W. Maulden, and Carl A. Reetz, left without appointment to attend school.

Phillipp Deschner, Field Secretary of the Anti-Saloon League, member of Sunnyside, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

F. N. Sandifur, member of Centenary Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference, and J. H. Westervelt, member Forest Grove Quarterly Conference, on leave of absence for one year.

## Disciplinary Questions

1. Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirement of the Discipline?

Yes.

2. Who have been received by transfer and from what Conferences?

J. D. Cain, Columbia River; Nels A. Christensen, Dakota; E. E. Gilbert, Northwest Iowa; Harvey O. Cooper, Puget Sound; Chas. A. Edwards, Idaho; A. F. Hanson, North Montana; Chas. P. Johnson, Idaho; Fred R. Royston, Oklahoma.

3. Who have been readmitted?

None.

4. Who have been received on Credentials and from what Churches?

None.

5. Who have been received on trial?

(a) In studies of first year: Alfred Bates, Earl B. Cotton, Paul F. Green, Alexander Hawthorn, Chas. Murray Keefer, Gustavus A. Spiess, John D. Woodfin.

(b) In studies of third year under the seminary rule. None.

6. Who have been continued on trial?

(a) In studies of first year: Harold M. Doxsee, Robert W. Maulden, Carl A. Reetz.

(b) In studies of second year: Bernard C. Brewster, Phillipp Deschner, R. A. Hutchinson (conditioned on the book Human Behavior), J. West Thompson, J. Stanley Van Winkle (ordained Deacon under the Seminary Rule).

(c) In studies of third year: None.

(d) In studies of fourth year: None.

7. Who have been discontinued? None.

None.

8. Who have been admitted into full membership?

(a) Elected and ordained Deacons this year: Chas. B. Harrison, Dow De Long.

(b) Elected and ordained Deacons previously: None.

9. What members are in studies of third year?

(a) Admitted into full membership this year: Chas. B. Harrison, Dow De Long.

(b) Admitted into full membership previously: Chesley E. Curtis, S. Darlow Johnson.

10. What members are in studies of fourth year?

Edward T. Luther, Sidney W. Hall (conditioned on the books, Foundation of Christian Belief and Comparative Religions), William Nicholl.

11. What members have completed the Conference Course of Study?

(a) Elected and ordained Elders this year: Thomas Acheson, Geo. R. Abbott, Nels A. Christensen, John F. Coleman, Milton A. Marcy, Fredrick R. Royston, Fred W. Snyder, John W. Warrell, William J. Warren, Robert C. Young.

(b) Elected and ordained Elders previously: None.

(c) Elected and ordained Elders under the Seminary Rule: None.

12. What others have been elected and ordained Deacons?

(a) As local preachers: None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule: None.

(c) Under the Seminary Rule: J. Stanley Van Winkle.

13. What others have been elected and ordained Elders?

(a) As Local Deacons: None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule: None.

14. Was the character of each preacher examined?

This was done in the usual order as the name of each preacher was called, in open Conference.

15. Who have been transferred, and to what Conferences?

W. L. Airheart, Puget Sound; C. H. Bryan, Col. River; Dow De Long, Col. River; W. J. Douglass, Idaho; Geo. H. Feese, Idaho; C. O. Heath, Idaho; J. K. Hawkins, N. W. Iowa; B. H. Lewis, Dakota.

16. Who have died?

Robert Booth, Nelson Clark, W. S. Holcomb, Sanford Snyder.

17. Who have been located at their own request?

None.

18. Who have been located?

None.

19. Who have withdrawn?

J. M. Crenshaw, F. V. Fisher.

20. Who have been permitted to withdraw under charges or complaints?

None.

21. Who have been expelled?

None.

22. What other personal notation should be made?

The orders of Horton P. Burger, an elder in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, were recognized.

J. H. Weslervelt and F. N. Sandiful, leave of absence for one year.

23. Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation?

C. H. Lawrence (5), A. S. Mulligan (1), H. I. Rutledge (5), W. J. Weber (2).

24. Who are the retired ministers?

W. R. F. Browne, N. S. Buckner, F. H. Calder, L. W. Chandler,



C. E. Cline, L. G. Cochran, Alonzo Coslet, A. C. Fairchild, Edward Gittins, Joseph Hoberg, G. A. John, T. L. Jones, W. T. Kerr, C. A. Lewis, James Lisle, E. T. Luther, S. E. Meminger, James T. Moore, W. H. Myers, H. Oberg, C. M. Rees, G. F. Round, Samuel Snyder, D. G. Stephens, C. A. Stockwell, J. L. Stratford, D. T. Summerville, Asa Sleeth, D. A. Watters, M. C. Wire, David Wolfe.

25. Who are the triers of appeals?

R. E. Smith, R. N. Avison, Walton Skipworth, D. Lester Fields.  
Reserves: Joseph Knotts, J. S. Green.

26. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?

See report.

27. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?

See report.

28. What is the Statistical Report? See the Statistician's Report.

29. What is the Conference Treasurer's Report? See the Conference Treasurer's Report.

30. (a) What is the aggregate of the benevolent collections ordered by the General Conference Treasurer? \$37,186.

(b) What is the aggregate of the benevolent collections ordered by the Annual Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer? \$13,132.

31. What are the claims on the Conference funds?

For annuity distribution, 1031 years multiplied by the Disciplinary rate of \$14 per year, \$14,434. For necessitous distribution, \$1621. Total, \$16,055.

32. (a) What has been received on these claims?

From the Book Concern, \$2080; from Annual Conf. Investments, \$1000; from the chartered fund, none; from pastoral charges, \$4332; from the Board of Conf. Claimants, \$400; total, \$7,812.

(b) How has it been applied? See Report of Conference Stewards.

33. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges

within the Conference, to be raised for the support of Conference Claimants?

Five per cent on cash salaries of over \$300; three per cent of cash salaries of \$300 or less.

34. What amount has been paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Connectional Relief?

\$326.00.

35. Where are the preachers stationed?

See list of appointments.

36. Where shall the next Conferene be held?

Astoria, Oregon.

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## First Day

### MORNING SESSION.

Wednesday, September 26, 1917.

**Opening.**—The Oregon Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church opened for its sixty-fifth session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Springfield, Oregon, September 26, 1917, at 9 A. M.; Bishop Matthew Simpson Hughes, DD., LL.D., presiding.

At the request of the Bishop the District Superintendents and the Pastor administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Hymns 577, 315, 274, and 291 were sung.

**Roll Call.**—C. C. Rarick, Secretary of the last Conference called the roll and the following members and members on trial responded: J. T. Abbett, W. L. Airheart, H. N. Aldrich, H. T. Atkinson, R. N. Avison, L. F. Belknap, R. S. Bishop, A. C. Brackenbury, B. A. Bristol, Alfred A. Brittain, J. Montcalm Brown, A. B. Calder, C. R. Carlos, F. S. Clemo, C. T. Cook, S. A. Danford, C. L. Dark, F. G. Decker, S. H. Dewart, W. J. Douglass, T. H. Downs, F. G. Drake, R. E. Dunlap, J. F. Dunlop, E. O. Eldridge, G. H. Feese, D. Lester Fields, T. B. Ford, Chas. E. Gibson, W. S. Gordon, Hiram Gould, G. A. Gray, C. L. Hamilton, Aaron A. Heist, A. S. Hisey, Richard Hocking, W. B. Hollingshead, W. E. Ingalls, J. H. Irvine, Frank James, W. E. Kloster, F. W. Keagy, S. J. Kester, Joseph Knotts, A. F. Lacey, T. W. Lane, D. H. Leech, E. B. Lockhart, E. S. Mace, A. R. Maclean, C. O. McCulloch, J. J. Mickey, Jas. T. Moore, James Moore, W. B. Moore, R. E. Myers, G. O. Oliver, J. J. Pacey, Geo. H. Parkinson, M. B. Parounagian, John Parsons, C. W. Pogue, L. C. Poor, C. C. Rarick, C. B. Rees, J. C. Rollins, F. N. Sandifur, Edwin Sherwood, Walton Skipworth, Ernest M. Smith, L. F. Smith, Robt. E. Smith, Henry Spiess, J. C. Spencer, G. L. Tufts, H. J. Van Fossen, Oren Wall, Melville T. Wire, Thomas

D. Yarnes, W. W. Youngson, T. L. Jones, W. H. Myers, J. L. Stratford, D. T. Summerville, D. A. Watters, Geo. R. Abbott, Thos. Acheson, J. F. Coleman, M. A. Marcy, Fred W. Snyder, John W. Warrell, W. J. Warren, R. C. Young, S. W. Hall, S. D. Johnson, B. C. Brewster, C. B. Harrison, H. M. Doxsee, R. A. Hutchinson, Wm. Nicholl, F. M. Jasper, E. E. Gilbert.

**Organization.**—The following officers were elected:

Secretary, C. C. Rarick; assistants, Frank James, H. N. Aldrich, and F. G. Drake.

Statistician, D. Lester Fields; assistants, H. T. Atkinson, C. B. Harrison and C. B. Rees.

Treasurer, C. O. McCulloch; assistants, F. S. Clemo, G. A. Gray, R. C. Young, W. E. Ingalls, A. B. Calder, C. R. Carlos.

Railroad Secretary, W. B. Moore.

Postmaster, Stanford Moore.

**Rules of Order.**—On motion of J. T. Abbett the Rules of Order and General Rules as printed in the Conference Journal of last year were adopted for this session of the Conference.

**Program.**—On motion of J. C. Spencer the printed program was made the official program of the Conference.

**Minutes Official.**—On motion of T. B. Ford the printed minutes were made the official Journal of the Conference.

**Bar.**—On motion of C. L. Hamilton the Bar of the Conference was fixed to include the first six rows of seats.

**Changes in Boards and Committees.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, the following changes in Boards and Standing Committees were adopted: Board of Conference Examiners appointed by the Bishop: A. A. Heist for W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., and E. E. Gilbert for J. K. Hawkins. Board of Conference Relations: R. E. Smith for W. R. F. Brown, J. D. Cane for W. C. Stewart, and E. E. Gilbert for J. K. Hawkins. Standing Committees: Aggressive Evangelism, J. T. Abbett for C. H. Bryan; Auditing, add C. B. Rees; Books and Periodicals, C. T. Cook for C. O. Heath; Children's Day, T. H. Downs for B. H. Lewis; Episcopal Fund, add A. A. Brittain; Freedman's Aid Society, Charles E. Gibson for C. H. Bryan; Sanctity of the Sabbath, add L. F. Belknap; Temperance, S. A. Danford for J. T. Moore, add W. E. Ingalls.

**Order of Day.**—On motion of T. W. Lane, reading of the District Superintendent's reports was made the Order of the Day for Thursday immediately following the reading of the Journal.



**Conference Board of Stewards.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, George H. Parkinson, D. H. Leach and E. C. Richards were elected members of the Conference Board of Stewards, term to expire 1920; and S. A. Danford substituted for J. T. Moore and A. A. Heist for W. R. Jeffrey, Jr.

**Memorial Service.**—In accordance with our rule the roll of our honored dead was called, a Memorial Service was conducted by the committee on memoirs, Melville T. Wire presiding. Hymn 415 was sung and F. G. Drake led in prayer, after which the Conference Male Quartet sung "Nearer My God to Thee." The obituaries of the members who had died during the year were read as follows: L. F. Belknap that of Nelson Clark; R. N. Avison that of Sanford Snyder; Melville T. Wire that of Robert Booth; and Joseph Knotts that of W. S. Holcomb. W. W. Youngson that of Mrs. D. McLachlin and George H. Parkinson that of Mrs. C. B. Skipworth. Reference being made to the death of Susan A. Starr, the Conference requested the committee to prepare a suitable memoir to be filed with the Conference records. This was done by L. F. Belknap.

**Closing.**—The Conference Male Quartet rendered the selection, "Savior and Lord of All." The benediction was pronounced by J. Montcalm Brown.

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## Second Day

### MORNING SESSION.

Thursday, September 27, 1917.

**Opening.**—Conference opened with a devotional service at 8 A. M. Hymns No. 415, 461, 490 were sung, and T. W. Lane led in prayer. Lynn Harold Hough of Garrett Biblical Institute addressed the Conference on the subject: "The Minister and His Library."

At 9 o'clock the Bishop took the chair.

**Minutes.**—The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

**Board of Conference Relations.**—By request of E. O. Eldridge, on motion of W. W. Youngson, R. E. Smith was substituted for E. O. Eldridge on the Board of Conference Relations.

**Order of Day.**—In accordance with the action of yesterday the Order of the Day was taken up as follows:

**Question 14.**—"Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?"

**Eugene District.**—The District Superintendents of the Eugene, Portland, Klamath, and Salem Districts were called and their characters passed. They read their reports.

**Methodist Review.**—The Bishop appointed M. B. Parounagian to solicit for the Methodist Review.

**Minutes.**—On motion of the Secretary it was ordered that the pastors pay twenty-five cents on each one hundred dollars cash salary received the past year to help defray the cost of publishing the Conference Journal and that J. J. Pacey, E. B. Lockhart, R. S. Bishop and J. H. Irvine be appointed to collect the same, each in their respective districts.

**Epworth League.**—On motion of T. W. Lane, G. O. Oliver and S. D. Johnson were added to the committee on Epworth League.

**Introduction.**—S. J. Greenfield, representing the Board of Conference Claimants at Chicago was introduced and addressed the Conference.

**Resolutions.**—On motion of Joshua Stansfield, the following resolution was adopted: "In view of the present reported conditions of the Conference Claimants permanent fund of our Conference, I move that a committee of three be appointed to confer tomorrow, if possible, with a committee of the Laymen's Conference as to what, if anything, should be done now for the betterment of our Conference claimants' permanent fund." The Bishop appointed as this committee, H. Gould, Joshua Stansfield, and D. H. Leach.

**Question 11.**—What members have completed the Conference course of study? Geo. R. Abbott, John F. Coleman, Milton A. Marcy, Fred W. Snyder, John W. Warrell, William J. Warren and Robert C. Young being favorably represented by the registrar, on motion of T. B. Ford, were graduated from the course of study and elected to Elder's orders.

**Continued.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, Edward T. Luther was continued in the studies of the fourth year.

**Question 2.**—Who have been received by transfer and from what Conferences? N. A. Christensen from the Dakota, E. E. Gilbert from the Northwest Iowa, and J. D. Cain from the Columbia River.

**Continued on Trial.**—On motion of James Moore, J. Stanley Van Winkle was continued on trial, advanced to the studies of the second year and elected to deacon's orders under the Seminary Rule.

**Question 6.**—"Who have been continued on trial?" Harold M. Doxsee, Robert W. Maulden and Carl A. Reetz on motion of their respective District Superintendents were continued on trial in the studies of the first year. R. A. Hutchinson being favorably represented by the registrar, on motion of H. J. Van Fossen was continued on trial and advanced to the studies of the second year, conditioned on the book "Human Behavior;" and Phillipp Deschner and J. West Thompson on motion of W. W. Youngson were continued on trial in the studies of the second year.

**Roll Call.**—On motion of Joshua Stansfield the Secretary was instructed to add to the roll of Wednesday's session, the names of all members present at the seat of Conference on that day but who failed to respond; that the names of those coming in for the second day's session be recorded in the minutes of that day. These latter were: W .T. Kerr, E. S. Hammond, Ernest C. Richards, J. S. Green, Joshua Stansfield, C. E. Cline.

**Order of Day.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, the reception of the Fraternal Delegates from the Presbyterian Synod of Oregon was made the Order of the Day for 10 o'clock Monday morning.

**Introduction.**—Dr. Joseph W. Van Cleve, representing the Commission on Finance, Rev. Joseph W. Hall of the Minnesota Conference, Dr. E. R. Fulkerson, representing the Board of Foreign Missions, and Rev. E. C. Pollard, of the Southwest Kansas Conference, were introduced.

**Closing.**—Announcements were made and Rev. E. C. Pollard pronounced the benediction.

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## Third Day

### MORNING SESSION.

Friday, September 28, 1917.

**Opening.**—Conference opened at 8:00 o'clock with a devotional service. Hymns No. 340, 697 and 411 were sung. C. C. Rarick led in prayer and Lynn Harold Hough addressed the Conference on, "Some Implications of the Christian Experience."

At 9:00 A. M. the Bishop took the chair.

**Minutes.**—The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

**Question 11 Resumed.**—"What members have completed the Conference course of study?" Thomas Acheson and Nels A. Christensen being favorably represented by the Registrar on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were graduated from the course of study and to Elder's orders.

**Question 6 Resumed.**—"Who have been continued on trial?" Bernard C. Brewster on motion of T. B. Ford was continued on trial in the studies of the second year.

**Question 8.**—"Who have been admitted into full membership?" Charles B. Harrison and Dow DeLong being favorably represented by the Registrar and the Board of Conference Relations on motion of T. B. Ford were advanced to the studies of the third year, admitted into full membership and elected to Deacon's orders.

**Question 5.**—"Who have been received on trial in the studies of the first year?" Alfred Bates, Paul F. Green, Alexander Hawthorne, Gustavus Adolphus Spiess, Earl B. Cotton, John D. Woodfin and Charles Murray Keefer, being recommended by their Quarterly Conferences, favorably represented by the Registrar and the Board of Conference Relations on motion of their respective District Superintendents were received on trial and placed in the studies of the first year.

**Transfer and Change of Relation.**—Frederick R. Royston, a supernumerary of the Oklahoma Conference on the consent of Bishop Shepherd to his transfer to the Oregon Conference, on motion of T. B. Ford, was referred to the Board of Conference Relations. Upon the favorable representation of this Board, on motion of T. B. Ford his transfer was requested. The transfer being announced, on motion of T. B. Ford, he was made effective, and upon the favorable representation of the Registrar was graduated from the course of study and elected to Elder's orders.

**Telegram.**—The following telegram presented by C. E. Cline, on his motion, was sent to President Wilson signed by the Bishop and the Secretary of the Conference: "The Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Oregon, assembled in Springfield, tenders its deep and loyal respect to the President. It assures him of the unswerving loyalty of all members of the Methodist Episcopal Church, as in the days of Abraham Lincoln, and of their solid conviction of the justice of the cause, the freedom of the world, for which the nation is at war and of their prayers for the President, his counsellors, and for a speedy victory and a lasting peace." Signed, C. E. Cline, W. T. Kerr, T. W. Lane, R. N. Avison, Joshua Stansfield, J.



C. Rollins, A. R. Maclean, Charles E. Gibson, R. E. Smith, J. T. Abbott, C. C. Rarick, Geo. H. Parkinson.

The following is a photographic reproduction of President Wilson's reply:

**THE WHITE HOUSE**  
WASHINGTON

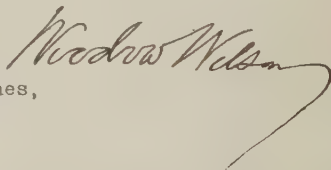
1 October 1917

My dear Bishop Hughes:

You and Doctor Rarick and the members of the Oregon Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church are very generous to send me such a cheering message as your telegram of the twenty-eighth of September, and I beg you to believe that I am genuinely grateful for your prayers and your support.

With deep appreciation, I am

Cordially and sincerely yours,



Right Reverend Matt S. Hughes,  
Portland, Oregon.

**Enlistments for Service.**—On the request of W. E. Kloster, and at the suggestion of the Bishop, the members of the Conference were requested to hand to the Secretary the names of the sons and daughters of the parsonages who have enlisted in the Federal and Red Cross services, giving the arm of service in which they have enlisted and their present address. The object being to prepare a roll of honor to be published in the Conference Journal.

**Introduction.**—Carl G. Doney, President of Willamette University, was introduced and addresses the Conference.

**Greetings.**—George H. Parkinson called the attention of the Conference to the fact that on the opening day of the session, a baby girl arrived in the home of Dr. W. H. Pollard, chairman of the entertainment committee of the local Church, and on his motion a boquet

of flowers bearing the Bishop's signature was ordered sent from the Conference to Mrs. Pollard.

**Address to Classes.**—The graduates and undergraduates were called to the front and addressed by the Bishop. Those for admission into full membership, Charles B. Harrison and Dow DeLong being asked and satisfactorily answering the disciplinary questions.

**Layman's Association.**—On motion of James Moore the Layman's Association was invited to meet with us in joint session and Dr. R. N. Avison was appointed to bear to them the greetings of the Conference.

**Conference Historical Society.**—On motion of C. E. Cline, the Conference voted to organize a Conference Historical Society, and the following committee was appointed for the purpose of perfecting the organization: John Parsons, L. F. Belknap, J. K. Gill, Cornelius Moreland, E. S. Hammond and C. E. Cline.

**Transfer Announced.**—A. F. Hanson, of the North Montana Conference, was introduced and his transfer announced.

**Question 9.**—"What members are in the studies of the third year?" Chesley E. Curtis, on motion of T. B. Ford, was continued in the studies of the third year.

**Question 10.**—"What members are in the studies of the fourth year?" Sidney W. Hall (conditioned on foundations of Christian belief and Comparative Religions, which he is to take in Kimball College of Theology), and William Nicholl, being favorably represented by the Registrar, on motion of T. B. Ford, were advanced to the studies of the fourth year.

**Laymen's Association.**—R. N. Avison announced the presence of the Laymen's Association and presented A. M. Hammer, the president, and A. M. Beaver, who were invited to seats on the platform. President Hammer introduced A. M. Beaver, who addressed the Conference; Bishop Hughes responding for the Conference.

**Introduction.**—Jabez Harrison and T. E. Elliott, of the Puget Sound Conference; W. B. Winters, of the Idaho Conference, and H. J. Talbot of Kimball College of Theology, were introduced.

**Drafts Presented.**—The Bishop presented a draft from the Book Concern for \$2080.00, and one from the Chairman of the Board of Conference Claimants for \$400.00. By common consent these were handed to the chairman of the Board of Stewards.

**Closing.**—Announcements were made and on motion of W. W. Youngson, Conference adjourned with benediction by Jabez Harrison.

## Fourth Day

### MORNING SESSION.

Saturday, September 29, 1917.

**Opening.**—Conference opened at 8:00 A. M. with a devotional service. Hymn Nos. 551, 548, 544 and 462 were sung. Prayer was offered by A. A. Heist and Lynn Harold Hough addressed the Conference on "The Way of Salvation."

At 9 A. M. the Bishop took the chair.

**Minutes.**—The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

**Conference Historical Society.**—On motion of John Parsons, C. E. Cline was added to the membership of the Committee on Organization of The Conference Historical Society.

**Question 14 Resumed.**—"Was the character of each preacher examined?" The list of effective elders and those in charge in the Eugene District was called. Those present reported.

**Excused.**—On motion of Jas. Moore, Harold Doxsee was excused from further attendance upon this session of the Conference.

**Referred.**—J. T. Moore, at his own request, on motion of James Moore, was referred to the Board of Conference Relations with a view to his being placed in the retired relation.

**Introductions.**—Miss Margaret Morris, whose generosity made possible the building of the Springfield Church and parsonage, was introduced.

**Question 14 Resumed.**—**Klamath District.**—The list of effective elders and those in charge in the Klamath District was called and their characters passed. Those present reported.

**Withdrawal.**—J. M. Crenshaw, at his own request, on motion of H. J. Van Fossen, was permitted to withdraw from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

**Portland District.**—The list of effective elders and those in charge in the Portland District was called and their characters passed. Those present reported.

**Referred.**—A. S. Mulligan, on motion of W. W. Youngson, was

referred to Board of Conference Relations with a view to placing him in the supernumerary relation.

**Fraternal Delegate.**—A. J. Montgomery, from the Presbyterian Synod of Oregon, was introduced and addressed the Conference. By request of the Conference, Bishop Hughes responded.

**Introductions.**—H. J. Talbott, Dean of Kimball College of Theology; Lynn Harold Hough, Professor of Historical Theology of Garrett Biblical Institute, Joseph W. Van Cleve, of the Commission on Finance, and E. R. Fulkerson of the Board of Foreign Missions were introduced and each in turn addressed the Conference.

**Question 14 Resumed.**—Salem District—The list of effective elders and those in charge in the Salem District was called and their characters passed. Those present reported.

**To Attend School.**—Carl Reetz, on motion of T. B. Ford, was left without appointment to attend school.

**Afternoon Session.**—On motion of W. T. Kerr, an afternoon session was called for 4 o'clock.

**Greetings.**—On motion of E. O. Eldredge, the Secretary was instructed to send the greetings of the Conference to Mrs. Sarah Royal, an aged member of the Mt. Tabor Church, who has been identified for many years with the life of Methodism in the Oregon Conference.

**Closing.**—Conference closed by expiration of time.

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Saturday, September 29, 1917.

**Opening.**—Conference opened at 4 P. M. Bishop Hughes in the chair. Hymn 143 was sung, and E. E. Gilbert led in prayer.

**Minutes.**—The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

**Change of Relation.**—On the recommendation of the Board of Conference Relations, on motion of W. W. Youngson, A. S. Mulligan was granted a supernumerary relation; and Jas. T. Moore, on motion of Jas. Moore, was granted a retired relation.

**Leave of Absence.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, F. N. Sandifur was granted a leave of absence for one year.



**Return of Check.**—On motion of D. H. Leech an appropriation of \$60.00, made by the Conference last year for Mrs. R. M. Corner, but which the Treasurer was unable to place in her hands, was returned to the Board of Conference Stewards.

**Annuity.**—On motion of D. H. Leech, the Board of Stewards was authorized to transfer a sufficient amount from money received from the pastoral charges to the Annuity Fund to make the amount of the annuity for this year \$7.00.

**Resolution.**—On motion of J. C. Spencer the following resolution was adopted:

“Resolved that the apportionments for Conference Claimants for 1917-1918 be five per cent of cash salary for charges paying over \$300.00, and three per cent for those paying \$300.00 or less. Further, that the Secretary of the Conference Board of Stewards be instructed to forward to each pastor 30 days after the close of this session and not less than 30 days prior to the opening of the Conference session of 1918, a reminder of this action.”

**Introduction.**—On motion of E. S. Hammond, Dr. J. E. Anderson, author of the Bone Dry Law of Oregon was introduced.

**Minutes.**—On motion of T. W. Lane, in the interest of economy in the printing of the minutes, each pastor was instructed to indicate to the Secretary the number of copies of Conference Journals he desired.

**Treasurer's Report.**—C. O. McCulloch, Treasurer, read the Treasurer's report by District and Conference totals. On motion of W. T. Kerr it was adopted.

**To Reimburse.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson an offering amounting to \$11.00 was taken to reimburse the Treasurer for expenses incident to his office.

**Statistical Report.**—D. Lester Fields, Statistician, read the statistical report by District and Conference totals. On motion of Joshua Stansfield it was adopted.

**Vote of Appreciation.**—On motion of Joshua Stansfield the Conference formerly expressed by a rising vote, its thanks and appreciation for the work done by the Treasurer and his Board, the Statistician and his Board and the Conference Board of Stewards.

**Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund.**—R. E. Dunlap read the report of the Treasurer of the Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund. On his motion it was adopted and ordered printed in the Conference Journal.

**Trustee.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, R. E. Dunlap was elected Conference Trustee, term to expire 1920; also Trustee of the Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund.

**Report of Committee.**—On motion of Joshua Stansfield the following report was adopted:

"Your committee appointed to confer with the Laymen's Conference, and report what, if anything, can be done for the betterment of the Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund of our Oregon Conference, would report as follows:

We secured the appointment of a committee of three from the Laymen's Conference, Jos. K. Gill, G. F. Billings, M. S. Allen, who now join with your committee in the following:

We find the present fund of our Oregon Conference to be woefully inadequate to the urgent needs of our worthy claimants, being equal only to an annuity of less than \$7.00 for each year of effective ministerial work and service, instead of \$14.00, which is the standard of our Methodist Episcopal Church. We therefore recommend:

1. That beginning now, an apportionment of one per cent of the cash salary of all members of the Conference shall be made for the Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund. This would insure a beginning of 'betterment of funds' to the amount of more than a thousand dollars a year.

2. The setting apart of a day, in the next Conference year, Sunday, November 18, in every charge of the Conference, to interest our people, and to secure gifts for this great cause. Further, that the District Superintendents and pastors in every District shall arrange for the work of this special day by exchange of pulpits or otherwise as the respective Districts shall deem best.

3. Your committee expresses the hope that this work will so develop as to make possible the employment of a most efficient Field Secretary, whose time shall be wholly employed by the Society for this fund.

HIRAM GOULD,  
D. H. LEECH,  
JOSHUA STANSFIELD."

**Reports of Committees.**—The report of the Committee on Temperance, by S. A. Danford, and the report of the Committee on Freedmen's Aid, by W. S. Gordon, on motion of their respective readers, were adopted.

The report of the Committee on Education was read by J. T.

Abbett and on his motion was adopted, and on motion of R. N. Avison the nominees as named in the report of the Committee on Education were elected.

The report of the Committee on Epworth League was read by G. O. Oliver and on motion of C. E. Cline was adopted. On motion of G. O. Oliver, Burgess F. Ford, Registrar and Treasurer of the Oregon Epworth League Institute read his report.

On motion of M. B. Parounagian, Sunday School Missionary, his report was filed with the Secretary, and ordered printed in the Conference Journal.

The report of the committees on Sanctity of the Sabbath, Children's Day, and Books and Periodicals, by common consent were filed with the Secretary without reading.

**Resolution.**—On motion of Geo. H. Feese, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, that we endorse the plan and work of the General Conference Finance Commission; that we express our appreciation of the visit of the General Conference Secretary, Jos. W. Van Cleve to our Conference, also his most inspiring addresses and helpful counsel. We recommend the following names to constitute the Conference Finance Commission: A. R. MacLean, J. C. Spencer, D. H. Leech, R. A. Booth (Eugene), E. A. Baker (Portland), D. A. Lawton (Medford), and A. A. Lee (Salem).

**Sabbath Desecration.**—On motion of E. S. Hammond, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, that we condemn in the severest terms those agencies, corporations and movements which have been responsible for the abolition of our Sunday laws, the commercializing of the Sabbath Day by open Chautauquas for paid admissions, theaters, picture shows, and other lines of secular amusements."

**Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.**—On motion of W. T. Kerr, the recommendations of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension were adopted. See report.

**Introduction.**—Ernest Dailey Smith, Extension Secretary of the Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

**Closing.**—Announcements were made and on motion of R. E. Dunlap, Conference closed with the benediction by John Parsons.

## Fifth Day

### SUNDAY SERVICES.

September 30, 1917.

**Opening.**—Conference opened at 9:00 A. M., with a Love Feast, S. A. Danford presiding. It was a session of blessing replete with Christian reminiscence and testimony.

D. H. Leech, representing the Conference Board of Stewards, took the annual offering for the Retired Ministers' Fund.

At 10:30 the Misses Scott and McCracken rendered a piano duet. Hymn 334 was sung and W. T. Kerr led in prayer. The choir rendered an anthem, "God Is Our Refuge." James Moore led in the Responsive Reading. Miss Bernice Ingalls sang "God Shall Wipe Away All Tears." The Conference Male Quartet sang "The Wayside Cross." Bishop Matt. S. Hughes preached a sermon from Duet. 3:23-27, on "The Christian Doctrine of Prayer." Hymn 530 was sung and C. C. Rarick pronounced the benediction.

### AFTERNOON SESSION.

**Opening.**—Conference opened at 3:00 o'clock. Hymn 349 was sung and T. B. Ford led in prayer. Bishop Matt. S. Hughes, assisted by several elders ordained as Deacons, Chas. B. Harrison, Dow De Long and J. Stanley Van Winkle. Also, assisted by several elders, he ordained as elders, Geo. R. Abbott, Thomas Acheson, Nels A. Christensen, John F. Coleman, Milton A. Marcy, Frederick R. Royston, Fred W. Snyder, John W. Warrell, Wm. J. Warren and Robert Carl Young.

The Bishop presented the following

### CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION.

This is to certify, that on the 30th day of September, 1917, at Springfield, Oregon, assisted by several Elders, I ordained as Deacons, Chas. B. Harrison, Dow De Long and J. Stanley Van Winkle.

And, also, that on the same day and at the same place, assisted by several Elders, I ordaineed as Elders, Geo. R. Abbott, Thomas Acheson, Nels A. Christensen, John F. Coleman, Milton A. Marcy, Frederick R. Royston, Fred W. Snyder, John W. Warrell, Wm. J. Warren and Robert Carl Young, all under authority of election by the Oregon Annual Conference.

Matt. S. Hughes, Bishop.



**Closing.**—The Doxology was sung and the Bishop pronounced the benediction.

### EVENING SESSION.

At 6:30 the devotional meeting of the Epworth League was in charge of T. W. Lane.

At 8:00 o'clock. Piano duet by the Misses Scott and McCracken. Hymn 420. Anthem, "Nearer My God to Thee." Solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," by Prof. C. E. Glass. Prayer by J. C. Spencer. Hymn 143. Sermon on the "Atonement," from 1 Cor. 2:2, by Lynn Harold Hough. Benediction by J. T. Abbott.

## Sixth Day

### MORNING SESSION.

October 1, 1917.

**Opening.**—Conference opened at 8:00 A. M. with a devotional service led by T. W. Lane. Hymns No. 544, 330, 388, 315 were sung and L. F. Smith, J. H. Irvine, Robt. Brymer, J. J. Mickey, D. A. Walters, J. W. Warrell, A. S. Hisey, T. D. Yarnes, and T. W. Lane led in prayer. T. W. Lane read and expounded the 8th Chapter of the Acts.

At 9:00 A. M. the Bishop took the chair.

**Minutes.**—The minutes of the Saturday afternoon session were read and approved.

**Resolution.**—C. O. McCulloch read the report of the Committee on Resolutions, and on his motion it was adopted.

**Board of Stewards.**—D. H. Leech read the report of the Conference Board of Stewards and on motion of W. T. Kerr it was adopted.

**Property Adjustment.**—H. J. Van Fossen presented the matter of withdrawing our work from Jacksonville, and on motion of M. T. Wire the Bishop appointed the District Superintendents a committee on the adjustment of property interests with power to act.

**Deaconess Board of Nine.**—R. E. Dunlap presented the report of The Deaconess Board of Nine and the recommendations and nominations therein contained, on this motion were adopted.

**Resolution.**—W. E. Ingalls presented a supplementary report of the Committee on Temperance, and on his motion it was adopted. (See Report.)

**Post-Graduate Study.**—Edwin Sherwood presented the report of the Commission on Post-Graduate Study and the nominations therein contained were adopted.

**Question 15.**—Who have been transferred and to what Conference?

W. L. Airheart, Puget Sound; C. H. Bryan, Columbia River; Dow De Long, Columbia River; W. J. Douglass, Idaho; Geo. H. Feese, Idaho; C. O. Heath, Idaho; J. K. Hawkins, Northwest Iowa; B. H. Lewis, Dakota.

**Question 9.**—What members are in the studies of the third year?

Chas. B. Harrison, Dow De Long.

**Question 2.**—Who have been received by transfer and from what Conferences?

J. D. Cain, Columbia River; Nels A. Christensen, Dakota; E. E. Gilbert, Northwest Iowa; Harvey O. Cooper, Puget Sound; Chas. A. Edwards, Idaho; A. F. Hansen, North Montana; Chas. P. Johnson, Idaho; Fred R. Royston, Oklahoma.

**Question 16.**—Who have died?

Robert Booth, Nelson Clark, W. S. Holcomb, Sanford Snyder.

**Question 19.**—Who have withdrawn?

J. M. Crenshaw, on motion of H. J. Van Gossen, and F. V. Fisher, on motion of T. B. Ford, were permitted to withdraw from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

On motion of T. B. Ford, F. E. Fisher's letter to Bishop Matt. S. Hughes was ordered filed with the records of the Conference and the Secretary was instructed to secure the return of his parchments.

**Orders Recognized.**—The orders of Horton P. Burger, of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, on motion of Jas. Moore, his case having been referred to the Board of Conference Relations, and upon the favorable representation by that Board, were recognized and he was received as a Local Elder.

**Question 25.**—Who are the Triers of Appeals?

On recommendation of the cabinet and on motion of W. W. Youngson, the following were elected Triers of Appeals: R. E. Smith, R. N. Avison, Walton Skipworth and D. Lester Fields; reserves. Joseph Knotts and J. S. Green.

**Question 23.—Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?**

C. H. Lawrence, H. I. Rutledge, and W. J. Weber on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were continued in the supernumerary relation.

On motion of W. T. Kerr the Secretary was instructed to notify C. H. Lawrence that the Conference requests him to either take an effective relation or locate or be located.

**Question 24.—Who are the Retired Ministers?**

The list of Retired Ministers was called and their characters passed.

The following were present and addressed the Conference: C. E. Cline, J. Hoberg, T. L. Jones, W. T. Kerr, W. H. Myers, D. T. Sumnerville, M. C. Wire, D. A. Watters.

**Leave of Absence.**—On motion of H. J. Van Fossen, J. H. Westervelt was granted leave of absence for one year.

**Greetings.**—Geo. H. Parkinson brought greetings from Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Pollard in response to greetings and bouquet of flowers sent them on Saturday.

**Centennial Campaign.**—On motion of Joshua Stansfield the Conference concurred in the Centennial Missionary and Educational Campaign Resolution from the Puget Sound Conference, and the Bishop appointed the District Superintendents a commission to co-operate with like commissions from other Conferences in the Portland Area.

**Question 36.—Where shall the next Conference be held?**

Astoria was placed in nomination by W. S. Gordon, and Oregon City by E. E. Gilbert. The ballot favored Astoria and on motion of T. B. Ford was made unanimous.

**Traveling Expenses.**—On motion of S. A. Danford it was ordered that the pastors pro-rate traveling expenses to and from the seat of Conference next year and that a commission of three be appointed to work out the plan. The Bishop appointed as this commission S. A. Danford, N. A. Christensen and E. E. Gilbert.

**Nominations.**—The list of Cabinet nominations for Conference Boards and Committees was read by W. W. Youngson, and on his motion it was adopted.

**Detached Service.**—The list of men on detached service was called and their characters passed.

**Conference Evangelists.**—On motion of their respective District

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Superintendents the Bishop was requested to appoint G. L. Tufts and L. F. Smith as Conference Evangelists.

**To Adjourn.**—On motion of W. T. Kerr it was ordered that after the reading of the Journal and such remarks as the Bishop may choose to make and the reading of the appointments the Conference adjourn sine die.

**Closing.**—Hymn 91 was sung. John Parsons led in prayer. The minutes of the morning session were read and approved. The Bishop read the appointments, and the Conference was closed with the benediction by W. T. Kerr.

MATT. S. HUGHES,  
Presiding Bishop.

C. C. RARICK, Secretary.



# Reports

## AUDITING COMMITTEE.

The Auditing Committee have examined the reports of the Secretary and Treasurer and find the accounts are correct.

Signed: F. M. JASPER,  
HENRY SPIESS,  
C. B. REES.

## REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF STEWARDS.

We, the Conference Board of Stewards, submit the following report. We have 42 Claimants, 28 Superannuates, 13 Widows, 1 Orphan. Their claims aggregate \$16,055, being \$202 less than last year.

To meet these claims we have received from:

Book Concern .....	\$2080	Decrease,	\$296
Interest on Permanent Fund.....	1000	Increase,	40
Pastoral Charges .....	4272	Increase,	561
Women's Home Missionary Society.....	50		
Connectional Fund .....	400	Increase,	200
Communion Offering .....	37	Increase,	37
Conference Sunday Collection .....	178	Increase,	60
Annuity Check Returned .....	60	Increase,	60

Total .....\$8077

### Annuity Fund:

Book Concern .....	\$2080
Interest on Permanent Fund.....	1000
Annuity Check Returned .....	60
Pastoral Charges .....	4077

Total .....\$7217

### Special Fund:

Pastor Charges .....	\$ 195
Women's Home Missionary Society.....	50
Connectional Fund .....	400
Communion Offering .....	37

Conference Sunday Collection ..... 178

Total .....\$ 866

We recommend the following distribution:

Beneficiary	Years Service	Annuity Claim	Annuity Paid	Special Paid	Total
Joseph Hoberg .....	10	\$140.00	\$ 70.00	\$ 80.00	\$150.00
David Wolfe .....	14	196.00	98.00	.....	98.00
A. C. Fairchild.....	38	532.00	266.00	32.00	298.00
F. H. Calder.....	16	224.00	112.00	.....	112.00
W. H. Myers.....	19	266.00	133.00	.....	133.00
Samuel Snyder .....	24	336.00	168.00	.....	168.00
S. E. Meminger.....	26	364.00	182.00	123.00	305.00
C. A. Stockwell.....	32	448.00	224.00	.....	224.00
C. A. Lewis.....	30	420.00	210.00	15.00	225.00
C. E. Cline.....	38	532.00	266.00	.....	266.00
J. L. Stratford.....	21	294.00	147.00	33.00	180.00
W. T. Kerr.....	30	420.00	210.00	.....	210.00
M. C. Wire.....	33	462.00	231.00	.....	231.00
N. S. Buckner.....	27	378.00	189.00	.....	189.00
G. F. Round.....	23	322.00	161.00	.....	161.00
T. L. Jones.....	35	490.00	245.00	60.00	305.00
Asa Sleeth .....	38	532.00	266.00	.....	266.00
C. M. Rees.....	16	224.00	112.00	.....	112.00
D. T. Summerville....	40	560.00	280.00	.....	280.00
H. Oberg .....	21	294.00	147.00	.....	147.00
A. Coslet .....	25	350.00	175.00	.....	175.00
D. A. Watters.....	39	546.00	273.00	.....	273.00
James Lisle .....	50	700.00	350.00	.....	350.00
E. Gittins .....	31	434.00	217.00	88.00	305.00
W. R. F. Browne.....	22	308.00	154.00	151.00	305.00
L. W. Chandler.....	30	420.00	210.00	.....	210.00
G. A. Jahn.....	26	364.00	182.00	.....	182.00
J. T. More.....	27	378.00	189.00	.....	189.00

	Husband's Years	Years Serv.	Annuity Claim	Annuity Paid	Special Paid	Total
Mrs. G. Alderson....	34	25	350.00	175.00	.....	175.00
Mrs. J. T. Wolfe....	22	16	224.00	112.00	.....	112.00
Mrs. J. B. B. Royal. 7	5		70.00	35.00	145.00	180.00
Mrs. I. D. Driver... 30	22		308.00	154.00	.....	154.00
Mrs. R. T. Baldwin. 6	4		56.00	28.00	.....	28.00
Mrs. W. M. Erskine. 22	16		224.00	112.00	.....	112.00
Mrs. N. J. Harbit... 18	13		182.00	91.00	34.00	125.00
Mrs. John Flinn.... 48	36		504.00	252.00	.....	252.00

Mrs. W. J. Gardner.	19	14	196.00	98.00	.....	98.00
Mrs. J. H. Skidmore.	37	28	392.00	196.00	.....	196.00
Mrs. C. M. Bryan...	37	28	392.00	196.00	.....	196.00
Mrs. W. S. Holcomb.	19	14	196.00	98.00	52.00	150.00
Mrs. Sanford Snyder	34	25	350.00	175.00	.....	175.00
Miss Naomi Harbit.	18	4	56.00	28.00	47.00	75.00
Totals .....	351	1031	\$14,434.00	\$7217.00	\$860.00	\$8077.00

The "Years Service" of the wives of the deceased ministers is three-quarters and the orphans one-fifth of the actual years, as per Discipline.

Respectfully submitted,

D. H. LEECH, Chairman,  
 JOSEPH KNOTTS, Secretary,  
 J. C. SPENCER,  
 E. C. RICHARDS,  
 M. B. PAROUNAGIAN,  
 C. L. HAMILTON,  
 G. H. PARKINSON,  
 A. A. HEIST,  
 S. A. DANFORD.

#### REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS' PERMANENT FUND OF THE OREGON CONFERENCE.

Report of the Treasurer of The Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund of the Oregon Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church to the Annual Conference of the Oregon Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and to the Layman's Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church, of the receipts and disbursements for the year ending September 23rd, 1917.

#### REVENUE ACCOUNT.

##### Receipts.

Cash on hand at last report.....	\$	98.69
Wm. Kuykendall, interest on note.....		7.00
Rent 40 acre farm in Idaho.....		280.00
Rent 1917, Canby Camp Ground property.....		200.00
Interest on Clifford C. Leaf note and mortgages.....		143.75
Interest on Foresman note and mortgages.....		30.00
Interest on Bilyeu note and mortgages.....		15.00
Interest on Foresman note and mortgages.....		30.00
Interest on Bilyeu note and mortgages.....		15.00

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Interest on Foresman note and mortgages.....	30.00
Interest on Nordby Craven note and mortgages.....	28.00
Interest on C. A. Meyers note and mortgages.....	35.00
Interest on Foresman note and mortgages.....	30.00
Interest on Foresman note and mortgages.....	30.00
Interest on E. E. Quick note.....	2.50
Interest on J. A. Howard note.....	5.00
Interest on C. M. Hamson note.....	1.00
Interest on Foresman note and mortgages.....	30.00
Interest on Clifford C. Leaf note and mortgages.....	143.60
Rent 1916 Canby Camp Ground property.....	100.00
Interest on R. A. Booth note.....	250.00
Interest on Bilyeu note and mortgage.....	45.00
Interest on C. A. Meyers note and mortgage.....	35.00
Interest on Nordby Craven note and mortgage.....	28.00

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### Disbursements

1915 tax, Idaho property .....	\$ 53.71
L. W. Chandler annuity.....	52.50
1916 tax on Idaho land.....	36.98
Postage stamps .....	2.50
Stationery .....	20.50
100 letters .....	8.00
Water tax, Idaho property.....	69.63
Taxes, Clackamas County property.....	72.45
Repayment, cash advanced by A. F. Flegel.....	2.06
L. W. Chandler, annuity .....	52.50
Recording deed .....	1.60
Wire and staples, Camp Ground fences.....	80.80
Total .....	\$433.23
Total receipts .....	\$1,612.54
Total disbursements .....	433.23
Net revenue .....	\$1,179.31

### Permanent Fund.

Cash on hand.....	\$ 428.89
Cash received from sale of 80 acre farm in Idaho.....	822.45
B. A. Linn, subscription.....	5.00
Honor Farrel, by the Rose City Park M. E. Church, and through the Layman's Association .....	1,000.00
Jos. Webber, Cresswell, Oregon.....	5.00

Mr. and Mrs. James Elliott, The Dalles, Oregon.....	5.00
H. Foresman, note paid .....	1,500.00
Collections from Commission from Conference, Hopkins, Secretary (1916) .....	299.65
G. L. Zimmerman .....	5.00
B. A. Colby .....	5.00
Michael Scherber .....	5.00
Mrs. Mabel Hatch .....	2.00
V. P. Fiske, Dallas, Ore.....	5.00
Seaside M. E. Church.....	10.00
H. Foresman note paid.....	1,500.00
Total .....	\$5,597.99

#### Disbursements.

O. V. Badley commission ,sale Idaho property.....	\$ 200.00
Loan to C. and T. Glover.....	2,000.00
Loan to F. L. and J. W. Day.....	1,500.00
Loan to Russell Chase.....	2,000.00
Total .....	\$5,700.00
Total receipts .....	5,597.00
Advanced from Revenue account.....	\$ 102.01

The Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund of the Oregon Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church is a corporation managed by six Trustees,—three elected by the Oregon Conference,—these are: R. E. Dunlap, term expires 1917; Hiram Gould, term expires 1918; D. H. Leech, term expires 1919.

Three elected by the Layman's Association,—these are: A. F. Flegel, term expires 1917; Theo. Fessler, term expires 1918; J. I. Jones, term expires 1919.

The organization of the Trustees is: D. H. Leech, President; R. E. Dunlap, Vice-President; Theo. Fessler, Secretary; A. F. Flegel, Treasurer.

The property of the fund is as follows:

Cash on hand .....	\$ 57.31
Invested funds secured by first mortgages on real property.	12,750.00
Promissory notes (subscription) .....	5,510.00
Farm in Idaho, estimated value.....	5,000.00
Security Savings and Trust Co.....	300.00



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108 acres of land in Texas, estimated value.....	5,000.00
Canby Camp Grounds .....	4,000.00
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	\$32,617.31
Net increase during year.....	2,128.42

The Permanent Fund covets the help and intelligent interest of the ministers of the Church. The fund belongs to you and begins to contribute to your support the moment you become Conference Claimants.

Every minister should contribute something each year—he should procure at least one person to contribute each year—he might influence one person to mention the fund in their will each year. He might influence his official board to give something each year, as Seaside did this year.

We will gladly take the note of any responsible person, payable at such time as may be convenient, with 5 or 6 per cent interest. We issue annuity bonds and pay from 6 to 10 per cent according to age and circumstances.

The trustees are surprised at the little interest manifested by the ministers in the permanent fund, which means so much for them in their old age. But one Church contributed any sum to the fund last year. But few ministers outside the Trustees manifested any interest in the fund last year.

In nine years the fund has grown from a small sum to more than \$30,000.00, and this year your Treasurer has a check for \$1,000.00.

We wish something might be done to arouse more interest and cause the members of the Conference to investigate the fund and its management.

A. F. FLEGEL,  
Treasurer.

Portland, Oregon, September 22nd, 1917.

### BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

We, your committee on Books and Periodicals, would call to mind the passing of the 128th birthday of the Methodist Book Concern in May last. The sales for 1916 exceeded the sales of any previous year in its history. The total profits of the year being \$409,350, out of which a dividend of \$300,000 was declared. The increased

sales of our Uniform and Graded Lessons speak eloquently of the growing appreciation and favor these publications have with all our Churches. The exhibit of the Book Concern at the Panama Pacific Exposition has had no little part in making known our publications in every corner of the globe.

With the assurance from Editor Hughes that a subscription rate of \$1.50 for the balance of the year 1917 and 1918 will be made, we recommend that plans be laid by each District for the observance of "Advocate Day" early in the Conference year.

We recommend also, that pastors and laymen urge the patronage of our Portland sales rooms and that pastors send to your committee on Books and Periodicals next year, that part of their report to the Fourth Quarterly Conference relating to periodicals used, that the committee may comply with paragraph 392, section 1, of the Discipline, which reads: "This committee shall make a careful canvass of the preachers in each of the Districts and ascertain what periodicals are supplied by the Book Concern, and what publications issued by other societies in the Church are taken, reporting the names and number of these publications in open Conference."

C. L. DARK,

C. T. COOK,

S. DARLOW JOHNSON.

#### CHILDREN'S DAY.

Children's Day has grown to be one of our great anniversaries, and most far-reaching in utility and results.

Its fund last year supplied \$80,000 for the assistance of 2,250 students. Since the inception of this loan fund it has helped 25,000 students to the extent of \$2,000,000.

The official programs are generally of a high order, and of great value to all who have a part in Children's Day Exercises.

We urge the observance of this very fruitful anniversary in all our Sunday Schools, and increased collections to its perpetual and ever-widening stream of benefactions

J. H. IRVINE,

E. M. SMITH,

J. J. PACEY,

T. H. DOWNS.

### CONFERENCE DEACONESS BOARD OF NINE.

#### Report to Annual Conference:

There were seven Deaconesses connected with the Home during the past year.

Following is the work done by the Methodist Deaconess Home at Portland, from September 1st, 1916, to September 1st, 1917:

Total number of calls.....	7493.
Total number of sick calls.....	698
Letters and postals written.....	1182
Pieces of literature distributed .....	1265
Bibles and Testaments .....	11
Garments given out .....	2051
Articles of Bedding .....	24
Baskets of Food .....	177.
Persons given material relief.....	821
Money spent for relief work.....	\$315.60
Aggregate number taught in Sunday School.....	1979
Taught in Bible Class.....	932
Children brought into Sunday School.....	118
Meetings assisted in special singing.....	83
Number enrolled on Cradle Roll.....	83
Number meetings conducted or addressed.....	439

Respectfully submitted,

NELLIE M. CURTISS, Superintendent.

### STATEMENT OF BUILDING FUND OF METHODIST DEACONESS ASSOCIATION OF OREGON CONFERENCE FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 20, 1917.

Sept. 20, 1916, Balance in Building Fund.....	\$ .77
Received from all sources.....	2,475.89
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	\$2,476.66

#### Disbursements.

1916—Dec. 9 account principal of mortgage.....	\$ 500.00
Interest to Sept. 1, 1916.....	70.00

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1917—March 1, balance mortgage.....	1,500.00
Interest to date .....	52.50
March 6, Wm. Adams, Treas., Street Assessment in full	159.62
Sundries .....	20.90
Balance on hand.....	173.64
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	\$2,476.66

The Home is now free of debt with the exception of a street improvement amounting to \$209.91.

Thanks is due to the friends and workers of the Association for the establishment of the Home in this city and we shall enter the new year with brighter prospects for advancement of the Deaconess work in our Conference than ever before.

Miss Curtiss, our new Superintendent, deserves much praise for her efficient work during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. DeGRAFF, President.

The licenses of the following Deaconesses are hereby referred to the Annual Conference for approval. Recommended favorably by the Conference Board of Nine: Miss Nellie M. Curtiss, Superintendent of the Home; Miss Florence Twidwell, Miss Sadie Smith, Miss Della Milligan, Mrs. Theresa Brown, Miss Mary Hepburn, Miss Hattie Kissell, Miss Margaret Davies, probationer.

Miss Mary J. Hepburn at her own request has been granted leave of absence until September 1st, 1918, on account of ill health.

Miss Florence Twidwell, who has given ten years of continuous service in the Oregon Conference as Deaconess, asks leave of absence to study music at Willamette University. Miss Twidwell will be self-supporting, acting as Dean of Women in Willamette University. Leave of absence was granted.

Mrs. Theresa Brown was transferred to the Columbia River Conference.

We ask the approval by this Annual Conference of the following recommendation:

Recognizing the growing demands for Deaconess service in the varied activities of the Church in this Conference and the increasing difficulty in securing sufficient numbers of trained workers from eastern schools, we hereby express our approval of the Seattle Bible

Training School, by recommending its course of study to our young women who wish to prepare themselves for Christian service. We further signify our readiness to co-operate in the promotion of this training school and will do our share in providing a new building when in the judgment of our Conference Board we can co-operate.

We recommend as members of the Conference Board of Nine for three years, including 1920: Rev. C. C. Rarick, Rev. R. E. Dunlap, Mrs. Geo. S. Johnson.

Officers for the ensuing year: President, Rev. W. W. Youngson; Vice-president, Rev. R. Elmer Smith; Secretary, Rev. R. E. Dunlap, Forest Grove.

In the event of any vacancy occurring in the Conference Board of Nine the Board is hereby authorized to fill such vacancy.

Rev. W. W. YOUNGSON, President,  
MRS. F. W. BROOKE, Secretary.

### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

We desire to express our appreciation for, and pledge our loyal support to the Board of Education for its great achievements in the several departments of its work. Through the Children's Day Fund near 25,000 students have been helped in their preparation for service in the building of the Kingdom of Christ.

In obedience to the mandate of the General Conference the Board of Education is undertaking to give religious fostering care to students from Methodist homes in state schools, and its success in such work is limited only by the meager sums of money which the Church places in its treasury. There are altogether too many blanks in the educational column of our Conference Journal. We therefore urge upon our pastors the importance of faithfully presenting to their churches the cause of Christian education and of setting apart 20 per cent of the offering for education for the treasury of the Board, that it may not be hampered in its great work.

#### Willamette University.

With a popular and efficient president and a loyal and competent faculty, this historic school has had a good year. She has stood by the Nation in its efforts to help "make the world safe for democracy" by giving sixty-one fine young men from her student body. This



has made a heavy drain upon the school but the sacrifice was willingly made. We trust that the places of these brave soldier boys may be filled by other young men from the high schools of the patronizing territory.

### Girls' Dormitory.

We again call attention to the pressing need of a new building to serve as a girls' dormitory, and hope that soon money may be in hand for the erection of such a building.

### Trustees.

We nominate the following persons as Trustees to serve for a term of three years, expiring in 1920: W. W. Youngson, Joshua Stansfield, D. H. Leech and J. T. Abbett, and R. E. Dunlap to serve one year to fill out the unexpired term of Geo. F. Hopkins, who has been transferred to the Puget Sound Conference. We nominate as Conference Visitors, R. E. Smith, J. C. Spencer, M. T. Wire.

### Endowment Trustees.

We desire to present for your approval the following persons who have been elected as Endowment Trustees, A. M. Smith, R. A. Booth and C. P. Bishop.

The Endowment Trustees make the following financial statement:

### Resources.

Investments .....	\$35,585.55
Subscription on notes .....	235.00
Cash on hand uninvested .....	1,352.70
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Interest on hand at last report.....	\$ 146.60
Interest collected during the year.....	2,109.20
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	\$2,255.80
Disbursements of interest .....	\$2,196.60
Cash on hand .....	59.00
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	\$2,255.80

### Conference Board of Education.

We nominate for re-election as members of the Annual Conference

Board of Education, to serve for a term of three years, R. N. Avison, and F. B. Sackett.

### Kimball School of Theology.

We recognize the need of a Theological Institution in the Pacific Northwest as an important part of our Church equipment for Christian service.

We commend Kimball School of Theology to our people as supplying this need. We recommend that our young men entering the ministry include training in this or some other Theological School as a necessary part of their equipment for their high calling.

We endorse the application of the Board of Trustees of Kimball School of Theology, to the Board of Education, for a contribution of at least \$500 for current expenses for the school year 1917-18, and recommend that the application be granted.

We recommend that Dr. Edwin Sherwood and Dr. Everett E. Hammond, members of this Conference, be appointed to professorships in the School of Theology.

We recommend that W. W. Youngson and J. O. Goltra be re-elected trustees for a term of three years, and that Walton Skipworth and Geo. H. Parkinson be elected Visitors to this Institution.

We recommend that two Commissioners be chosen by the Conference to meet with like commissioners from the other Annual Conferences in the Northwest, and with the Board of Trustees of the School, to consider all matters that may affect the work and interest of the Institution, and we nominate for such Commissioners, George H. Parkinson and R. N. Avison.

WALTON SKIPWORTH, Chairman,  
J. T. ABBETT, Secretary.

### REPORT OF EPWORTH LEAGUE COMMITTEE.

Your Committee on Epworth League would have you keep in mind the large help to be secured by the circulation of the Epworth Herald and the faithful carrying out of the plans emanating from the Central Office, yet we desire in particular to call your attention to our Epworth League Institute as offering a most effective agency for quickening the spiritual life of the young people and training them for leadership in the local chapter.

The Institute of this year was held at Jefferson during the last week in July, and while not largely attended, marked by most gratifying results to be seen in the lives of all those who attended.

We recommend that the Institute again be held in Jefferson July 22-28, 1918. We ask all the pastors to co-operate heartily with the representatives of the Institute in securing registrations, striving to reach the goal: "At least one delegate from every chapter and a total enrollment of two hundred."

Report of Registrar of the Oregon Epworth League Institute to the Oregon Conference of 1917:

Amount on hand from last year.....	\$ 22.50
Paid up subscriptions .....	174.20
Unpaid subscriptions .....	69.00
Received on Advertising Tour.....	55.37

Total assets .....	\$321.07
Institute expenses, including \$50.07 traveling expenses.....	309.44

BURGESS F. FORD,  
Registrar.

### FREEDMAN'S AID SOCIETY.

Conscious of the peculiar responsibility resting upon the Methodist Episcopal Church for the religious care of eleven million citizens of African descent residing in the United States, and with the deepest appreciation of the efficient work done by The Freedman's Aid Society, we recommend:

1. That our pastors and people give it their most loyal and liberal support.

2. That they use the Lincoln Day Anniversary Program which is provided by the Society.

3. That we encourage the most prayerful and frank discussion of the whole negro question between the representatives of our Society and those of the Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, believing this to be a pre-requisite to organic union, since happy marriages are usually precluded by a period of candid and unselfish courtship in which the parties learn to appreciate each other, and become willing to make mutual concessions.

W. S. GORDON,  
A. C. BRACKENBURG.

### CONFERENCE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION.

The Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension hereby recommends:

1. That the Oregon Conference cordially endorse the plans of the Board for the proper religious care of our soldier boys mobilized in training camps and cantonments, and also the offering therefor of \$250 000. We urge those pastors who were unable to take the offering on the appointed day, September 16, to do so as soon as possible hereafter and to remit at once to the Board.

2. That special emphasis be laid upon mission study in all our churches this year with use of the official text-book, "Sons of Italy," by Antonio Mangano. This will not only give illumination as to 2,000,000 of our fellow citizens, but also about the fundamental principles of Protestantism.

3. That endorsement to be given the Home Mission Board's plans for the Centenary celebration and that the agreement providing for division of increases in collections for 1918 and 1919 be adopted by the Conference.

4. That we hereby express appreciation of the large assistance rendered our western work by the Board—an assistance that may be partially measured by the financial report for the past year, which appears on pages 80 and 81.

W. T. KERR,  
Chairman of Board.

### REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSIONARY.

Dear Bishop and Brethren:

The high ideal of the Board of Sunday Schools of the Methodist Episcopal Church has been "Efficiency." In order to demonstrate in a practical manner, the field men were called to Chicago by the Board and a great Institute was held during the week beginning October 28th, on the Campus of Northwestern University, in Garret Hall of the Garret Biblical Institute. The memorable week at Evanston will be long remembered by the brethren who were privileged

to enjoy the feast of good things prepared and served by eminent men and specialists in their lines. A brief report of this Field Workers' Conference was furnished by all of our Church papers at the time.

I, as one of the participants, gladly testify to the fact that it was a complete success. I was greatly helped and fully impressed concerning the departmental activities of our Board and its efficient plans. Great credit is due to Dr. Edgar Blake, Corresponding Secretary, and our efficient Superintendent of the Extension Department, Dr. M. J. Trenery.

Returning from Chicago enthused and inspired, I have paid more than usual attention to the efficiency than to the extension work, and I have done some work that mere statistics would not bring out. Consequently the number of newly organized schools is not as large as that of previous years. To improve the condition of a weak school and to encourage her to a greater usefulness and efficiency is just as beneficial to the advancement of the kingdom as a new organization. Here are some bits of my fourth year's doings:

Organized fifteen schools with 459 members and resuscitated nine. Organized and forwarded to Chicago the applications of thirty-nine organized classes and three Teacher Training classes. Opened up one of our old Church buildings which was closed for the past fifteen years. (Our Local Preacher will bring good report.) Fourteen were converted in our meetings and many expressed a desire to lead a better life. The above number of converts all joined our various churches. I have baptized five during the year and administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper six times. Taught many Sunday School classes in my visits to the various Churches and Schools, visited 410 families and 153 different communities, and preached or addressed 28 times. I have held twenty-two meetings with the Sunday School workers, attended a number of Efficiency meetings; also County and State Sunday School Conventions, and taken part in their programs. I have assisted our pastors in raising their apportionments for the Board of Sunday Schools (and in many instances I forwarded the amount myself), and I sincerely hope that we have made a little advance in contributions to the Board. All of these have meant labor and travel and very careful bookkeeping has revealed the fact that, in covering my territory this year, I have travelled a number of miles equal to two-thirds the distance around the world, 372 miles on foot, 920 miles by stage and vehicle, and 16,659 miles by rail, a total of 17,951 miles.

Dr. M. J. Trenery, Superintendent of the Extension Department, spent five or six days in my territory the early part of July. I accompanied him to Tillamook and Klamath Falls. From the sea level to



high level, from one extreme to the other, he looked with the eye of an expert over this territory, and as a seer saw the need of the field and at once suggested that we might spend a little more time with our weaker schools in order to secure higher efficiency and greater permanency, and organize schools in localities where the Gospel may brighten the prospects if it is only for a season. I surely expect to follow his plans for the coming year.

I am glad to notice in many Sunday Schools of our Conference decided improvements where our pastors are interested in the Sunday School work, and are working hard at it. If the prayer and class meetings are the spiritual thermometers of the Church, the Sunday School is the compass and the wheel indicating which way the Church is going.

Our Sunday School during the year responded very generously to the calls of the Army Y. M. C. A. and contributed very largely to the American Red Cross Fund. May we not expect that the Sunday Schools of our Conference this coming year will loyally support all the suggestions of the Board of Sunday Schools and of the Conference Board for efficiency, and put up a high aim of work for the conversion and addition to our Churches of at least two thousand persons from the Sunday Schools alone?

Thanking very heartily all concerned for their generous assistance and co-operation and grateful acknowledging the favors of our Heavenly Father,

Respectfully submitted,

M. B. PAROUNAGIAN,

Sunday School Missionary, Oregon Conference.

### THE COMMISSION ON POST-GRADUATE STUDY.

The Commission on Post-Graduate Study, who were appointed by your body one year ago, have, according to instructions then given us, arranged a Post-Graduate Course of Study of one year, open to those members of the Conference who have completed the Conference Course of Study. A few have taken this course the past year, and a number more have enrolled their names to pursue the course the coming year.

We recommend the continuance of the work thus begun, and urge upon the members of the Conference a serious consideration of the opportunity for systematic study offered in this course.

We recommend the appointment of R. N. Avison, W. W. Youngson, James Moore, Edwin Sherwood and G. H. Parkinson as members of the Commission for the ensuing year, and that a second years' course of study be arranged whenever the progress of the work shall open the way for it.

R. N. AVISON, Chairman.

EDWIN SHERWOOD, Secretary.

### SANCTITY OF THE SABBATH.

Whereas, the Christian Sabbath is an essential and inherent element in the Christian system without which the Church of Jesus Christ could not maintain itself, and,

Whereas, the people of our state at the last general election abolished the Sunday law, thus legalizing Sunday business, toil, and amusements, and so secularizing and commercializing the day.

Be it resolved, that we, the Oregon Conference, place ourselves on record in favor of a strong, united, persistent campaign of education in the coming year looking to the preservation of the public sense of the sanctity of the Sabbath, and culminating in the enactment by the people of the state of a sane, just, and reasonable rest day law.

Be it further resolved that we condemn in the severest terms those agencies, corporations and movements which have been responsible for the abolition of our Sunday laws, the commercializing of the Sabbath day by open Chautauquas for paid admissions, theatres, picture shows, and other lines of secular amusements.

Be it further resolved, that we invite the co-operation of and pledge our own support to the weekly Rest Day League, all Evangelical denominations, and all persons and agencies desiring a genuine keeping in the letter and in the spirit of the Fourth Commandment.

ALBERT S. HISEY,  
L. F. BELKNAP,  
THOS. D. YARNES,  
GEO. R. ABBOTT.

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REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS  
SEPTEMBER 26, 1917.

The Conference Journal of 1916 shows that there were 223 Sunday Schools in the Conference, but perhaps not all of the Methodist Schools were reported, as there are some Schools that are not connected with any pastoral charge. While in the main the policy of the Board has been, and now is, to attach all new Schools, so far as is pastoral supervision of the schools where at all practicable, yet of necessity there will be some schools so remote from any pastoral charge as to make it impossible to have such pastoral supervision. For instance, on the Fort Rock charge in the Klamath District, there are three schools doing excellent work which will not get in the Minutes for the reason that the charge is supplied only through the short summer vacation period by a Willamette student. The Niel Creek School and two other schools near Selma, southwest of Grants Pass, also in the Klamath District, are others that will not appear in the Conference Journal. Several such schools also are found in the Eugene District, such as at Mable, Long Prairie and Scottsburg. There are no doubt many such isolated schools throughout the Conference.

Our Sunday School Missionary has done much intensive work during the year, and has, therefore, not organized as many new schools as in former years. But the work of extension has not been neglected by any means. He has organized, from raw material, fifteen new schools with an aggregate membership of 459, and he has revived nine other schols. He has organized thirty-nine Adult Bible Classes and three Teacher-Training Classes; all of this is in the interest of greater efficiency in Sunday School work. This indefatigable worker has delivered, during the year, 287 addresses, visited 100 families and 147 communities. In his meetings have occurred many conversions and they have nearly all been received into the various churches. On one occasion he reopened the Rock Creek Church, nine miles northeast of Woodburn, in Salem District, organizing three Church classes, each with a good, substantial constituency. This Church had been abandoned for fifteen years, and now it is a thriving Christian community. Brother Parounagian has been instant in season and out of season in the prosecution of Sunday School work throughout the Conference. He has traveled 17,276 miles during the year. The class of work this faithful servant of the Church is doing is very important, and plays no small part in the care of the unchurched multitudes, and in the development of our work.

There is yet much spiritual destitution in many localities of the Conference, and I most heartily recommend that Brother Parounagian be continued in this very important work.

Out of every 100 children enrolled in our Sunday Schools seventy-five are ultimately lost to the Church. Out of the remaining twenty-five per cent we get at least eighty per cent of the accessions to our Church membership! It is therefore clearly seen that to stop this leakage is a vastly important task. No greater work is the Church doing than that which is done by the Sunday Schools.

I should like to recommend that a campaign for still greater efficiency be inaugurated, under the direction of the Conference Board and our missionary, for the coming Conference year. I am sure that the General Board of Sunday Schools would be glad to furnish us Dr. Bovard or some other successful worker for such a campaign. We need more organized adult classes and more teacher-training classes. We need better trained teachers and better grade schools. Such a campaign would result in the good of Oregon Conference Methodism.

As president of the Conference Board of Sunday Schools I have endeavored, by correspondence and otherwise, to promote the interests of Sunday School work in the Conference by urging the standardization of our schools, by using our own literature, than which there is none better published, and by stimulating effective Sunday School organization and equipment. The Board has sought to promote Sunday School growth and organization, and has encouraged the use of wise plans for evangelistic efforts among our children and young people. We believe that the Sunday School furnished the ripest and most fruitful field for evangelism to be found anywhere. We steadfastly hold that all of the children of this world belong to God, and that it is the work of the Sunday School, in co-operation with their Christian parents to develop them Godward and to train them for future usefulness in the work of the Church.

Through the co-operation of our faithful Missionary we have urged upon the churches the importance of raising the full amount of the apportionment for the Board of Sunday Schools, in order that this great agency shall not be hampered in the great work it is doing for lack of funds.

We have also stood for the organization of all our schools into Missionary Societies and the conscientious setting apart of ten per cent of all missionary money collected in the Sunday Schools for the work of the Board of Sunday Schools.

In compliance of the law of the Church we respectfully submit this brief report.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS,

By J. T. Abbett, President.

RESOLUTIONS.

Your Committee on Resolutions submit their report as follows:

Resolved, first of all, that our profound gratitude is due to the God of Peace for the spirit of brotherliness that has pervaded our session throughout, stressing anew how good and how pleasant it is thus to be, and prophesying enlarged usefulness for the year whose threshold we are now crossing.

Second. We acknowledge full and unfeigned indebtedness to the Official Board of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Springfield for the use of their beautiful and commodious Church building for the Conference session.

To the ladies of this Church for the most excellent table they have spread for us.

To the choir and the Conference Quartette for the delightful music they have rendered.

To the esteemed pastor of this Church. The Reverend Samuel A. Danford, D. D., for his untiring devotion to all the arduous duties devolving upon a competent Conference host.

To the brethren from the various Benevolent Boards of the Church at large, to Dr. Lynn Harold Hough of Garrett Biblical Institute, Evanston, Illinois, and as well to the members of our own Conference, whose addresses have contributed so largely to the edification and heartening of the Conference and its attendant friends.

To the good people of Springfield for the entertainment in their homes to us as a Conference. And to the railways, for the usual favors of reduced rates, and to the banks of the city, and especially to the Commercial State Bank, for putting all the facilities at its command for the careful dispatching of the business of the Conference.

Third. That we follow with hearty good wishes and prayers our



brethren departing for labors beyond our borders (See Ques. 15, Disc. Ques.), and at the same time extend the hand of welcome to those who come to take their allotment of service with us (See Ques. 2, Disc. Ques.).

Fourth. That once again we express our appreciation of the press in spreading abroad the success of our labors for the past year, and especially in extending far and wide our attitude on the great and vital questions now pending in this crisis hour of mankind throughout the world, giving ourselves in utter abandonment to this righteous cause, in unswerving loyalty to God and ready to pour out our last full measure of heart and treasure to our beloved country as she fares forth to clear the way for the unvexed tread of Democracy down the pathway of the coming years.

Lastly. After the quiet, unhurried, masterful administration of the affairs of our session—the unexcelled address to the class to be admitted into Full Membership in the Conference, and for the sermon delivered by him on Sabbath morning, comprehensive in plan, majestic in movement, and admirable in devotional spirit—to Bishop Matthew Simpson Hughes, D. D., LL. D., the heart of the Oregon Conference speaks to his heart its confidence, devotion and love. Cherishing the fond hope that his bow may not only long abide in undiminished strength, but also may increase in vigor and efficiency until the consummation of his labors among men.

C. O. McCULLOCH,  
GEO. H. PARKINSON,  
H. N. ALDRICH,  
J. C. SPENCER.

### TEMPERANCE.

When we consider the present conditions of the temperance battle our hearts are filled with jubilation, and with thanksgiving to God. since our meeting one year ago, several states have gone dry, our own state and several others have enacted bone-dry legislation, and the national government has prohibited the manufacture of distilled liquor.

We emphatically commend the results of our bone-dry law, and we commend our officials for their successful enforcement of the law.

We rejoice in the laws, and their rigid enforcement in the vicinity

of army encampments, and we trust the government will be able to safeguard our soldier boys on foreign soil as well as they are caring for those at home.

We feel that our own Temperance Society, the Anti-Saloon League, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, not to mention the other reform organizations, are worthy of all praise for their successful fight against the drink evil.

We regret that millions of bushels of needed grain are still used to make beer, and we hope President Wilson may feel that he has enough American patriots behind him to enable him to eliminate this waste.

We are happy to report a decrease of forty per cent in the population of the penitentiary under one year of bone-dry prohibition from June, 1916, to June, 1917. Also, a twenty-five per cent decrease in commitments to the insane asylum under the bone-dry law.

And let it be known as a community, that we unsparingly condemn the advertising efforts of the American Tobacco Company to persuade the people to buy cigarettes as a "military necessity," and we believe that a generous public is insulted when asked to swell the profits of that grasping corporation under the pretense of a desire to aid the soldiers.

Also, resolved, That the Oregon Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, representing a constituency of 70,000 in western Oregon protest against the use of food products in the manufacture of alcoholic liquor as a beverage.

Resolved, That we give copies of this resolution to the press, and wire a copy to President Wilson.

The committee nominates the following Trustees for the Anti-Saloon League: R. N. Avison, T. B. Ford, W. W. Youngson, E. A. Baker, A. M. Smith, and Bishop Matt. S. Hughes.

Respectfully submitted,

E. S. HAMMOND,  
R. N. AVISON,  
F. W. KEAGY,  
W. E. INGALLS,  
S. A. DANFORD.

## TREASURER'S SUMMARY.

For Foreign Missions .....	\$ 6,757.00
For Special Missionary Offering.....	50.00
For Home Missions and Church Extension.....	6,241.00
For Freedmen's Aid .....	912.00
For Public Education collection .....	1,605.60
For Education—Children's Fund .....	306.00
Conference Education Collection .....	401.40
For Board of Sunday Schools—Churches.....	440.00
Sunday Schools .....	310.00
For Annual Conference Investments .....	78.00
For Temperance Society .....	331.00
For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.....	11.00
For Women's Home Missionary Society.....	11.00
For American Bible Society .....	301.00
For Central Office Epworth League Expenses.....	67.00
Christian Stewardship .....	47.00
For General Deaconess Board .....	116.00
City Missionary or Church Extension Society.....	26.00
For other Benevolences .....	123.00
For support Conference Claimants.....	4,598.00
For Episcopal Fund .....	1,544.00
For Conference Claimants—From Book Concern.....	2,080.00
From General Board .....	400.00
From interest Permanent Fund .....	1,000.00
Woman's Home Missionary Society.....	50.00
Conference Sunday Collection .....	178.00
Educational Endowment, etc. ....	34.00
Conference Communion Collection .....	37.00
Returned Check .....	60.00
Unclassified and Fractional Money.....	
Total .....	\$28,602.26

## Disbursements.

Conference Claimants Oregon Conference.....	\$ 8,077.00
General Board Conference Claimants, etc.....	326.00
Annual Conference Investments .....	78.00
Board Foreign Missions .....	6,757.00
Special Missionary Offering .....	50.00
Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.....	6,241.00
Freedmen's Aid .....	912.00

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Episcopal Fund .....	1,544.00
Board of Education—Children's Fund .....	306.00
20 per cent Public Educational Col.....	401.40
Willamette University, 80 per cent Public Educational Col..	1,284.80
Kimball College of Theology .....	321.12
Board of Sunday Schools—From Churches.....	440.00
From Sunday Schools .....	310.00
General Conference expenses .....	368.00
Central Office expenses Epworth League.....	67.00
General Deaconess Board .....	116.00
Temperance Society .....	331.00
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Woman's Foreign Missionary Society .....	11.00
Woman's Home Missionary Society.....	11.00
Conference Educational collection .....	401.40
Unclassified and Fractional Money.....	
Other Benevolences .....	123.00
Total .....	\$28,602.26

## HOME MISSIONS.

## Receipts.

Balance on hand Oct. 1, 1916.....	\$ 184.96
From Philadelphia, Pa., Gen. Acct., Oct. 9, 1916.....	2,787.50
From Philadelphia, Pa., Gen. Acct., Jan. 4, 1917.....	2,762.50
From Philadelphia Pa., Gen. Acct., Apr. 7, 1917.....	2,762.50
From Philadelphia, Pa., Gen. Acct., July 13, 1917.....	2,387.50
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	\$10,884.96
From Districts, Jan. 4, 1917.....	\$25.00
From Districts, April 7, 1917.....	25.00
From Districts, July 13, 1917.....	25.00
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	\$10,959.96

## Disbursements.

On Four Districts (including checks \$18.75).....	\$ 2,806.25
On Four Districts, Jan. 15, 1917.....	2,878.46
On Four Districts, April 10, 1917.....	2,812.50
On Four Districts, July 15, 1917.....	2,450.00
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	\$10,947.21

## SPECIAL YAINAX INDIAN MISSION.

## Receipts.

From Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 9, 1916.....	\$ 66.66
From Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 17, 1916.....	66.66
From Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 4, 1916.....	66.66
From Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 6, 1917.....	66.66
From Philadelphia, Pa., Feb., 1917.....	58.44
From Philadelphia, Pa., April 7, 1917.....	125.00
From Philadelphia, Pa., May 21, 1917.....	62.50
From Philadelphia, Pa., June 11, 1917.....	62.50
From Philadelphia, Pa., July 6, 1917.....	62.50
From Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 6, 1917.....	62.50
From Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 8, 1917.....	62.50
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	\$762.58



**Disbursements.**

To W. H. Hevener, Oct. 17, 1916.....	\$ 66.66
To L. F. Belknap, Dec. 5, 1916.....	133.32
To L. F. Belknap, Jan. 11, 1917.....	66.66
To L. F. Belknap, Feb., 1917.....	58.44
To L. F. Belknap, April, 1917.....	125.00
To L. F. Belknap, May 22, 1917.....	62.50
To L. F. Belknap, June 12, 1917.....	62.50
To L. F. Belknap, July 9, 1917.....	62.50
To L. F. Belknap, Aug. 8, 1917.....	62.50
To L. F. Belknap, Sept. 10, 1917.....	62.50
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	\$762.58

**CHURCH EXTENSION.****Receipts.**

From Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 23, 1917 for Wilsonville.....	\$ 300.00
From Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 27, 1917, for Metzger.....	500.00
From Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 27, 1917, for Richard Hocking.....	50.00
From Philadelphia, Pa., March 20, for Talent.....	150.00
From Philadelphia, Pa., March 20, 1917, for Dayton.....	350.00
From Philadelphia, Pa., May 1, 1917, for Bay Park.....	250.00
From Philadelphia, Pa., May 7, 1917, for Coquille.....	150.00
From Philadelphia, Pa., June 12, 1917, Carlton.....	250.00
From Philadelphia, Pa., July 12, 1917, Unity, Lane Co.....	250.00
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	\$2,250.00

**Disbursements.**

To H. D. Aden, Feb. 20, 1917, Wilsonville.....	\$ 300.00
To S. J. Kester, Feb. 27, 1917, Metzger.....	500.00
To Richard Hocking, Feb. 27, 1917, Emergency.....	50.00
To Trustees Talent, March 21, 1917, Talent.....	150.00
To Trustees, March 21, 1917, Dayton.....	350.00
To James Moore, May 8, 1917, Bay Park.....	250.00
To T. H. Downs, May 8, 1917, Coquille.....	150.00
To T. B. Ford, June 18, 1917, Carlton.....	250.00
To James Moore, July 13, 1917, Unity, Lane County.....	250.00
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	\$2,250.00

Grand total: Receipts, \$13,972.54; disbursements, \$13,959.79.

Balance on hand Oct. 1, 1917, less 25 cents Banking House exchange, \$12.50.

## Anniversaries

**Woman's Home Missionary Society.** Wednesday, September 26th, 1917, 2:30 P. M. Mrs. Joshua Stansfield, presiding. Hymn 332 was sung, and Rev. J. T. Abbett read Acts the third chapter. Prayer was offered by the Rev. T. H. Downes, and Mrs. J. T. Moore sung "The Ninety and Nine." Mrs Selee gave a report of the work of the Old People's Home in Salem, and Miss DeWitt represented the Portland Industrial Center. Joshua Stansfield delivered an address, "Underlying Principles of Home Missionary Work," closing with singing "America."

4:00 P. M. Address, "The Strategic Position of the Preacher of Today," by Lynn Harold Hough.

7:30 P. M. **Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.** C. O. McCulloch, chairman. Hymn 631 was sung, and G. H. Feese read Isaiah 55, and offered prayer. The choir sung an anthem, "Blessed is the Nation Whose God is the Lord," and Edward Laird Mills delivered an address, "The International Implications of Home Missions."

8:30 P. M. **Board of Conference Claimants.** C. E. Cline, presiding. Hymn 1 was sung, and prayer offered by J. C. Rollins. The Conference Male Quartet sung "The Wayside Cross," and S. J. Greenfield delivered an address. The meeting closed with three cheers for "Old Glory."

**Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.** Thursday, September 27th, 1917, Mrs. M. B. Parounagian, presiding. Hymn 2 was sung, and Mrs. Hosmer read Matthew 18. Mrs. W. B. Moore offered prayer. Hymn 634 was sung and Mrs. Erskine gave a report concerning the literature of the society. Mrs. Norris sung "His Eye Is On the Sparrow," and R. Elmer Smith delivered an address. Hymn 654 was sung, and A. Hawthorne pronounced the benediction.

4:00 P. M. The annual missionary sermon was preached by Walton Skipworth the text was Psalms 134:3. John Parsons offered prayer, the Doxology was sung, and John Parsons pronounced the benediction.

7:30 P. M. **Board of Education.** R. N. Avison, presiding. Hymn

490 was sung and prayer offered by E. C. Richards. The choir sung an anthem, "Take it to the Lord in Prayer," and E. C. Richards, delivered an address. The Conference Male Quartette sung "Nearer, My God to Thee," followed by addresses by Carl Gregg Doney and G. Franklin Ream. Bishop Matt. S. Hughes delivered an address, "The Relation of the Christian to the Young People of Methodism," and H. J. Talbott gave an address, closing with the congregation singing "America," and the benediction.

**Deaconess Anniversary**, Friday, September 28th, 1917. Miss Curtis, presiding. Hymns 423 and 410 were sung, and Mrs. J. T. Abbett read a Scripture lesson. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Gibson. Mrs. Case sung "Tell Me About the Saviour," and Miss Curtis gave the report of the Portland Deaconess Home. The Conference Male Quartette sung "Speed Away," and G. H. Parkinson delivered an address, closing with the benediction.

4:00 P. M. **Lecture**. Hymn 375. Prayer by G. H. Feese. The choir sung "Ten Thousand Harps and Voices," and an offering was taken for local expenses. Miss Lacey sung, "O Dry Those Tears," and the Conference Male Quartette sung, "Memories of Galilee." Joshua Stansfield delivered a lecture, "Dr. Jekel and Mr. Hyde." Hymn 291 was sung, and D. A. Watters pronounced the benediction.

**Saturday, September 29th, 1917. Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals.** J. Montcalm Brown, presiding. Hymn 393 was sung and C. C. Rarick offered prayer. The address was delivered by Ernest Daily Smith. Hymn 633 was sung, closing with the benediction.

7:30 P. M. **Board of Sunday Schools.** J. T. Abbett, presiding. Hymn 350 was sung, and J. T. Abbett offered prayer, and read the report of the Conference Board of Sunday Schools. An address was delivered by M. B. Parounagian, and the following officers were elected. The District Superintendents, ex-officio; J. T. Abbett, President; E. G. Decker, Vice-president; R. E. Myers, Secretary; A. S. Hisey, Treasurer; C. A. Rice, J. W. Zimmerman, A. E. Austin and C. A. Meeker. E. R. Fulkerson delivered an address, Hymn 653 was sung, and E. S. Hammond delivered the benediction.

**Sunday, September 30th, 1917, 6:30 P. M. Devotional Meeting of the Epworth League** was conducted by T. W. Lane. 8:00 P. M. Hymn 420 was sung and J. C. Spencer offered prayer. The choir sung an anthem, "Nearer My God to Thee," and an offering was taken for local expenses. A solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," was sung by Prof. Glass. The address was delivered by Lynn Harold Hough, and J. T. Abbett pronounced the benediction.

## Obituaries

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### SANDFORD SNYDER.

Sandford Snyder was born in Blenheim, Ontario, Canada, October 17, 1851, and died at Coburg, Oregon, July 25, 1917. He was converted when a boy and at the age of seventeen was given a Local Preachers' License. In 1872 he was admitted to membership in the Michigan Conference. He was transferred to the Kansas Conference serving for some time as Superintendent of the Indian Territory work. In 1898 he was transferred to the Montana Conference, and from Montana to the Oregon Conference in 1903.

On January 1, 1872, he was united in marriage to Jane E. Kerr, whose quiet, cheerful, trustful devotion was the unfailing inspiration of his entire ministry. Sister Snyder is still with us comforted and tenderly cared for by their children; Fred W. Snyder, a member of this Conference, Mrs. Robert H. Allen of the Columbia River Conference, and Nettie Snyder who resides with her mother at Coburg.

Brother Snyder was not in good health for a number of years. By frequent transfers he hoped to find a climate that would afford him permanent relief; in this he was disappointed; and in 1910 found it necessary to take a superannuated relation. It was not easy for a man of his temperament and love for the work to patiently retire from the active ministry.

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He was always glad of a place however limited where he could be of service to the Church. While knowing it was at great risk to himself, it was with real pleasure that he received the appointment to the Church at Coburg early in the Conference year.

Sanford Snyder was a good man, a devoted husband and father, a true friend, a loyal Methodist, a strong preacher, and a faithful minister of Jesus Christ.

The funeral services were held at Eugene, conducted by R. N. Avison, assisted by T. B. Ford, G. H. Parkinson, and C. T. Cook, and the body was brought to Salem and laid away in Mission Cemetery.

This in briefest outline is this life of sixty-six years. The recording angel alone can fill in the details and rightly estimate the motives, struggles, disappointments, and triumphs of the hidden life of this man. Brother Snyder did not answer the roll call this morning, but imagine when God called on that eventful July day, some one, probably a glorified member of this Conference said, "Nothing against Brother Snyder," and a kind Father added, "Well done, good and faithful servant, enter into the joy of thy Lord;" and he entered to go no more out forever. I am not as sure of the geography of heaven as some people, but I am very confident that God has a good appointment for such men and Jesus said it is, "My father's house."

"I know not what the future hath  
Of marvel or surprise,  
Assured alone that life and death  
His mercy underlies.

I know not where his islands lift  
Their fronded palms in air;  
I only know I cannot drift  
Beyond his love and care."

R. N. AVISON.



#### NELSON CLARK.

Rev. Nelson Clark was born October 28, 1830, in Decatur County, Indiana. In 1847 the family moved to Iowa and located on a farm in Van Buren County. On the 5th day of April, 1853, Mr. Clark started across the plains, arriving in Harrisburg, Oregon, on the 5th day of October.

Having received license to preach before leaving Iowa he attended the second session of the Oregon Conference in March, 1854, which was held in the Belknap Settlement, and was appointed by Bishop Simpson to a work in the Conference. It was here he became acquainted with Miss Jane Gilbert, to whom he was married in July, 1856. This was indeed a happy marriage. They walked side by side for more than sixty years on the way that grows brighter and brighter unto the perfect day."

Brother Clark was a faithful and successful pastor for more than



thirty years in the Oregon Conference, filling many important charges and organizing the work in many places, prominent among which was the Church in Eugene City. He was one of the pioneers who, with Wilbur and Waller and the Heinzes and Roberts and Doan and Booth and many others laid the foundation of the work of the Master in this vast empire. They labored and we have entered into their labors. These men and their companions belonged to that heroic band of the ages of whom the world was not worthy, who wrought righteousness and subdued kingdoms and obtained a good report. They now rest from their labors and their works follow them.

On account of failing health he retired from active work in the Conference in 1885, and soon after moved with his family to Spokane, Wash.

In 1904 Brother Clark and family removed to Pacific Grove, Cal., and later to Oakland, and for the past ten years they have made their home in Berkeley. Here beside the golden gate our venerable friend and brother closed his eyes in death December 31, 1916. to open them again in that city whose streets are paved with gold and whose builder and maker is God.

He is survived by his wife, four daughters; Mrs. Lou M. Proctor, of Pacific Grove, Mrs. Olive A. Boscow, of Spokane, Mrs. Jennie L. Webster and Mrs. Esther M. Haine, of Berkley; and one son, Frank E. Clark, of Berkley; two children having preceded him to their home on high. The funeral was conducted by the Rev. E. R. Dille, assisted by Rev. H. W. Waltz; and his body rests in the beautiful Sunset Cemetery awaiting the resurrection of the just.

L. F. BELKNAP.

#### WILSON SUMNER HOLCOMB.

Wilson Sumner Holcomb was born in Perry County, Ohio, February 14, 1857, and died in Salem June 18, 1917. He was converted when 13 years old. In his early manhood he taught school for a time and then entered the Ohio Wesleyan University. In 1886 at Medical Lake, Wash., he was licensed to preach. He served the charges of Ilia, Colton, Medical Lake and Hood River. In 1890 he transferred to the Ohio Conference where he preached at the following appoint-

ments, Corning, White Cottage, Jasper, Rutland, Portland, O., and Waterford. In 1901 he was transferred to the Oregon Conference and served as pastor at Coquille, Bandon, Hyrtle Point, Dilley and Lafayette. In 1905 he retired from the active ministry and moved to Brownsville, where he lived until 1914. Here he taught a large class of young ladies in the Sunday School, and occasionally filled the pulpit in the absence of the pastor. A stroke of paralysis brought an end to his active Christian service.

On November 29, 1883, he was married to Miss Laura Van Brunt of Cheney, Washington. A son, Wilbur Simpson, two daughters, Mrs. Lena Godard and Mrs. Cora Walker, and his loving helpmate and companion of so many years are left to mourn his passing. He was a man of distinctive loyalty and fidelity to his Church and to his God, earnest and fervent in spirit, an appreciative friend, and in the home a man of tender sympathies, a counsellor and guide.

JOSEPH KNOTTS.

### ROBERT BOOTH.

Robert Booth was born in Lancashire, England, August 4, 1820, and died at Eugene, Oregon, July 11, 1917; being 96 years, 11 months and 7 days old.

In 1830 he came to America with his parents. They settled first in New York State, later going South and then West. When still young in years, the burden of a man's responsibility fell upon Robert's shoulders. His father died when he was eighteen.

Late in the year 1843, while attending a Methodist Quarterly meeting, he became greatly exercised for his spiritual welfare. Kneeling at the mourner's bench on New Year's eve he experienced a clear and definite conversion as the New Year was ushered in. He enthusiastically testified to his new-found peace and joy and was soon licensed as an exhorter.

On August 24, 1845, he was united in marriage to Mary Minor.

Five years later he journeyed West to California but returned the following year by way of Central America. In 1852 he set out with his wife and four children to cross the plains. Sickness and priva-

tion beset them, but they finally reached Oregon and settled on a homestead in Yamhill County.

During the years subsequent to his conversion he had at intervals fought off the call to preach; but on the plains promised his wife that he would definitely take up the ministry after reaching his destination, if he should be spared. He joined the Oregon Conference in 1855; serving with marked acceptability many charges in both Eastern and Western Oregon. He was a co-worker with such men as Gustavus and Harvey Hines, Spaulding, Roberts, Flinn, Doane and Waller. With them and others he faced flood and storm by night and by day; in weariness and loneliness oft, in perils and discouragements without number; pressing bravely on to accomplish the Divinely appointed task. He built better than he knew, helping to lay broad and deep the foundations of Northwest Methodism. His active ministry closed at Grants Pass in 1895. He outlived all his contemporaries. One by one they passed away, but he continued on rugged as the hillside oak battling with vicissitudes of time and circumstance. His head whitened and his shoulders bent, yet so sound and perfect was the temple of flesh, so balanced and so keen the intellect, so strong and disciplined the will that he laughed defiance to the "fierce spirit of the glass and scythe." His has been a familiar figure on our Conference floor. Advanced in years, yet not abating one whit his interest in men and affairs. We shall sorely miss him.

Mary Minor Booth, the wife and companion of his youth, died in 1900. In 1902 he married Mary Bushong, widow of the late J. W. Bushong of this Conference. She preceded him to the Beyond; dying two years ago.

He was the father of twelve children who have taken honorable, and some of them eminent places in the life and activity of this commonwealth; eight of them survive him.

His funeral was conducted from Newman Church. Grants Pass by Dr. G. H. Parkinson, assisted by Drs. T. B. Ford, H. J. Van Fossen and the writer. Interment was made in the Masonic Cemetery near Grants Pass.

Today we inscribe his name on the roll of the fathers and heroes of our Conference.

We can imagine that he seems to say to us now what he said to the guests on his golden wedding day in 1895, "May the Lord deal as gently with you all, as he has with us till we celebrate in the golden city of the New Jerusalem."

MELVILLE T. WIRE.

RESOLUTIONS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES CONCERNING  
THE DEATH OF T. S. McDANIEL AND OF  
HON. ABEL E. EATON.

In the death of T. S. McDaniel and of Hon. Abel E. Eaton, during the past year, the State of Oregon has lost two of its most estimable citizens—the Methodist Episcopal Church two of its most worthy servants, and Willamette University two of its greatest benefactors. These two splendid characters ended their earthly activities at dates strikingly close together. The gifted McDaniel was translated January 3rd, 1917, and only twelve days later, January 15th, 1917, Hon. Abel E. Eaton, the sturdy pioneer, ceased his labors.

Both of these men, while of wholly different types, were truly "Great Hearts." Both were deeply religious—each in his own individual way.

Brother McDaniel was a natural leader of men. He was an ardent lover of humanity. His loyalty to the Master was most unstinting, while to the Church of his choice he gave the last full measure of his devotion. It was in the fostering atmosphere of a Methodist parsonage that he was born, and it was there that he received the early training which so admirably fitted him for a life of exceptional usefulness. It would be impossible to overestimate the value of the service rendered Willamette University by Brother McDaniel. He labored incessantly as a member of the Board of Trustees, and for some time served as President of the Board with conspicuous success. His gifts of mind and heart were constantly brought in requisition for the University which he loved with an abiding affection. In T. S. McDaniel was found a blending of the qualities of the mystic, the man of exquisite sensibility, and at the same time the sagacious man of practical affairs. We shall not see his like again for many a year, and where this tall cedar of Lebanon once stood "there is now a lone-some place against the sky."

The Hon. Abel E. Eaton was a fine type of man, who by indomitable will, tireless energy, excellent business judgment and superior character, rises from obscurity into a position of wealth and influence. So far as his relation to higher education is concerned, Mr. Eaton's gift to Willamette University—making possible the splendid building now on the campus, named in his honor—will entitle him to a place high on the roll of the benefactors of higher education in the Pacific Northwest. That gift, and later gifts, reveal him a man of both vision and generosity.

As members of the Board of Trustees of Willamette University,

we mourn deeply the loss of these two noble Christian gentlemen T. S. McDaniel and A. E. Eaton, and in partial recognition of their services, therefore be it,

Resolved, by the Trustees of Willamette University at their annual meeting in June, 1917, in the city of Salem, Oregon, that we hereby record our appreciation of the worth and services of these distinguished brothers, and further, be it

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the immediate family of each of our deceased brothers, and that this action be spread upon the minutes of this Board.

B. L. STEEVES,

President Board of Trustees.

I. H. VAN WINKLE, Secretary Board of Trustees.



# Statistical Tables

Oregon Conference

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# EUGENE DISTRICT STATISTICS

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NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										Local Preachers— No. on Charge
		Support of Pastor			Support of District Superint'd't	Support of Bishops		Support of Conference Claimants	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency		
		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage		Claim	Paid					
Albany.....	Chas. E. Gibson.....	1800	1800	300	150	30	30	75	2055	.....	.....	
Brandon.....	J. S. Green.....	258	258	150	90	18	9	45	258	159	1	
Brownsville.....	H. T. Atkinson.....	1050	900	150	60	60	12	30	822	.....	.....	
Buena Vista.....	.....	700	720	100	60	60	12	30	822	.....	.....	
Coburg.....	.....	365	304	60	30	6	.....	9	304	106	1	
Cocoa Bay Circuit.....	E. H. Campbell.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Coquitline.....	T. H. Downs.....	800	800	200	60	12	12	30	902	.....	.....	
Corvallis.....	D. H. Leech.....	2200	2200	400	180	36	36	90	2506	.....	.....	
Cottage Grove.....	Joseph Knotts.....	1250	1250	250	100	20	50	50	1420	.....	2	
Crawfordsville.....	Harold Dorse.....	87	72	.....	6	1	1	2	81	15	.....	
Creswell.....	R. S. Bishop.....	825	975	150	82	17	42	42	1116	3	1	
Drain.....	J. F. Dunlop.....	800	800	100	70	67	14	35	916	3	1	
Elkton.....	.....	497	353	72	.....	.....	.....	.....	353	.....	.....	
Eugene.....	G. H. Parkinson.....	2800	2800	.....	250	50	50	125	3225	.....	1	
Gardiner.....	R. Hocking.....	850	350	150	70	14	14	36	970	.....	.....	
Goshen Circuit.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Halsey.....	J. D. Cain.....	950	950	150	80	16	16	42	1089	.....	1	
Harrisburg.....	T. D. Yarnes.....	400	400	.....	40	8	5	20	420	48	1	
Independence.....	Harold Dorse.....	850	850	150	70	14	14	35	969	.....	.....	
Irving.....	.....	150	150	.....	15	3	3	4	172	.....	.....	
Jefferson.....	F. S. Cieno.....	650	650	100	55	11	11	27	744	.....	.....	
Lebanon.....	Frank James.....	1320	1320	120	120	24	24	60	1529	.....	1	
Junction City.....	C. T. Cook.....	980	980	180	80	16	15	40	1115	1	.....	
Loraine Circuit.....	J. L. Stratford.....	300	300	50	25	5	3	8	336	.....	.....	
Lowell Circuit.....	Walter Ross.....	334	334	.....	33	6	.....	10	383	.....	.....	
Marcola.....	E. B. Cotton & A. C. Child.....	335	335	75	.....	.....	.....	13	380	.....	.....	
Marsfield.....	H. Gould.....	1220	1220	200	102	21	21	51	1394	.....	1	
Mehama and Lyons.....	J. Stanley Van Winkle.....	200	148	.....	14	3	3	5	170	52	.....	
Monroe Circuit.....	D. W. Moore.....	700	725	100	60	12	12	30	827	.....	.....	
Myrtle Point.....	F. G. Drake.....	725	725	125	60	12	12	30	827	.....	1	
North Bend.....	E. S. Mace.....	900	800	200	70	14	13	35	909	110	.....	
North Orford.....	W. H. Myers.....	303	303	100	20	4	4	6	333	.....	.....	
Shedds.....	C. B. Rees.....	753	794	150	60	65	12	31	905	.....	.....	
Siletz Indian Mission.....	C. J. Searles.....	260	140	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	140	.....	2	
Springfield.....	S. A. Danford.....	1600	1600	400	120	24	24	60	1804	.....	4	
Toledo.....	E. R. Ellsworth.....	.....	76	20	.....	12	5	22	98	.....	1	
Turner.....	J. J. Mickey.....	600	600	100	50	10	10	27	685	.....	.....	
Total.....	.....	27220	27482	4362	2189	437	435	1080	31196	494	20	
Increase from 1916.....	.....	877	55	.....	185	61	13	14	83	.....	2	
Decrease from 1916.....	.....	.....	.....	470	.....	.....	.....	.....	1514	.....	.....	

## NAME OF CHARGE

NAME OF CHARGE	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Under Instruction	Received During Year	Now on Roll	Full Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Deaths During Year	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollments	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Bldgs.	Estimated Value	Land and Bldgs.	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Land and Bldgs.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Ch's and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses, Rent, Fuel, Light, etc.	Appropriated for the Quadrantum	Paid this Year	Balance Due for the
Albany	1	4	...	6	5	279	134	3	1	29	345	21	...	2	23000	1	5000	1	5000	131	2775	3948	2532	35	12	23
Bandon *	...	...	...	...	...	27	10	...	1	13	68	15	...	1	3500	1	1500	1	1500	...	...	29	...	18	4	2
Brownsville	2	...	...	6	...	240	...	3	1	20	297	20	...	1	3000	1	1000	1	3000	...	...	35	...	9	4	5
Buena Vista	...	...	...	2	2	69	...	...	2	19	149	...	...	1	1000	1	1200	1	1000	...	...	60	...	4	...	...
Coaling	1	...	...	5	...	60	13	...	2	11	71	...	...	1	1000	1	600	1	1000	11	...	100	...	...	...	...
Coos Bay Circuit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	17	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coquille	1	...	...	3	3	84	7	3	2	14	420	40	...	...	2000	1	1500	1	2000	...	...	45	...	8	2	6
Corvallis	16	15	10	16	...	557	90	4	1	24	490	90	...	1	13000	1	1000	1	13000	157	2855	900	762	37	10	27
Cottage Grove	17	3	...	29	1	226	16	3	1	10	175	53	...	1	9000	1	3000	1	9000	157	2855	900	762	37	10	27
Crawfordsville	...	...	...	...	...	29	...	...	1	10	50	16	24	1	700	1	2000	1	700	25	...	400	14	15	5	10
Creswell	...	...	...	2	...	162	24	2	2	22	147	35	8	2	7000	1	2000	1	7000	25	...	230	12	4	8	
Drain	1	...	...	4	5	91	9	...	1	12	120	27	27	1	2000	1	1500	1	2000	200	...	90	...	2	...	...
Elkton *	2	...	...	...	...	36	4	1	1	9	72	...	...	1	1000	1	600	1	1000	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
Eugene	20	5	8	58	8	1000	50	10	1	65	901	...	...	1	10000	1	2000	1	10000	103	25000	2400	83	68	30	35
Gardiner	...	...	...	...	...	38	1	1	1	12	120	...	...	1	2500	1	2000	1	2500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Goshen Circuit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	17	159	41	...	1	3500	1	1500	1	3500	40	44	...	...	...	...	...
Halsey	...	...	...	...	...	124	2	...	1	15	209	20	...	1	6800	1	3000	1	6800	214	200	2079	...	...	...	...
Harrisburg	1	...	...	...	...	59	...	...	1	16	196	...	...	1	1000	1	1000	1	1000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Independence	...	...	...	...	...	3	127	3	1	10	60	30	30	1	1000	1	1000	1	1000	193	3000	5664	459	18	18	7
Irving	...	...	...	...	...	5	41	...	1	9	79	27	...	1	2500	1	1200	1	2500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jefferson	...	...	...	...	...	78	10	...	1	29	255	30	...	1	18000	1	1500	1	18000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lebanon	...	...	...	...	...	229	...	...	2	23	223	20	...	1	6200	1	2000	1	6200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Junction City	1	...	...	...	...	189	46	3	2	30	173	28	48	2	1500	1	600	1	1500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lorain Circuit	...	...	...	...	...	93	5	...	2	30	140	...	...	2	2400	1	1000	1	2400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lowell Circuit	...	...	...	...	...	34	12	1	4	30	140	...	...	2	1500	1	600	1	1500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Marcola	18	...	...	18	34	77	28	...	3	22	182	70	...	2	2400	1	1000	1	2400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Marshfield	...	...	...	...	...	194	6	...	1	23	282	27	...	4	2500	1	500	1	2500	40	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mehama and Lyons	6	...	...	...	...	30	3	...	1	8	58	...	...	1	5000	1	2000	1	5000	...	...	605	335	16	...	...
Monroe Circuit	1	3	...	3	...	112	40	2	2	12	102	24	...	2	1000	1	100	1	1000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Myrtle Point	4	...	...	...	...	85	1	...	1	11	150	28	20	2	8000	1	1200	1	8000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
North Bend	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	14	156	30	20	1	1700	1	1500	1	1700	123	25	270	50	8	4	...
Port Orford	5	2	20	6	2	101	4	...	1	14	156	30	20	1	4000	1	1000	1	4000	700	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shedd	1	...	...	2	17	17	2	1	1	6	60	...	...	2	2600	1	100	1	2600	102	...	...	...	...	...	...
Siletz Indian Mission	...	...	...	...	...	112	10	...	2	15	157	20	...	1	1500	1	1500	1	1500	280	...	...	...	...	...	...
Springfield	9	6	...	15	141	141	2	6	2	11	103	...	...	1	750	1	400	1	750	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toledo	8	12	20	42	40	340	35	...	1	20	400	125	52	1	45000	1	1000	1	45000	3000	1000	3000	57	9	...	...
Turner	6	...	...	10	45	43	...	2	1	5	56	...	...	1	1500	1	1000	1	1500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Turner	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	1	12	102	26	...	2	4000	1	1000	1	4000	110	100	...	...	...	...	...
Total	111	68	71	230	183	5208	573	50	51	605	6393	873	229	46	285450	27	44800	27	285450	5849	11189	42552	8987	312	124	171
Increase from 1916	29	...	27	86	76	112	...	6	10	93	633	15	16	2	17600	3	...	3	17600	24961	9041	5142	1814	252	80	162
Decrease from 1916	...	12	...	...	...	...	294	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
* From report last year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

## CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT—EUGENE DISTRICT

DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES																												
NAME OF CHARGE	MISSIONS						Benev. ord. by An'l Conf.										Other Cash Items											
	Bd. For. Mss.		B. H. M. - C. E.		Special Gifts		Bd. S. S.		B. of Ed		WM'S.		Total Disdisciplinary Benevolences		Total Benevolences		Christian Stewardship		Annual Con. Investments		Epworth League		Support of Bishops (Episcopal Conf.)		General Conference Expenses			
	Church	Sunday Sch.	Church	S. S. inc. 100%	Church	S. S. inc. 100%	Special Gifts	Church	S. S. inc. 100%	Church	M. S. Offering	Public Ed. Collection	Children's Fund	American Bible Society	Bd. Temp. Prohl. and Pub. Moral.	Gen. Deacons Bd.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	Supplies	City Mss. or Ch. Ex. Society	Total Benevolences	Special Gifts	Other Benevolences	Stewardship	Annual Con. Investments	Epworth League	Support of District Superintendent	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Conf.)
Albany...	112	23	50	110	20	...	16	4	10	10	3	4	3	3	155	122	645	500	553	4	1557	150	30	75	12	1416		
Bandon...	106	10	...	95	10	...	5	9	2	40	3	5	1	90	136	...	521	...	52	2	54	1	60	18	45	4	733	
Brownsville...	32	2	...	28	6	...	3	3	4	15	4	2	3	1	...	...	109	...	5	1	6	3	12	30	4	22		
Buenos Aires...	3	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Coburg...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Coos Bay Circuit...	15	7	...	8	5	...	2	1	5	2	1	1	1	1	...	...	49	...	65	1	66	2	60	12	30	2	221	
Corvallis...	143	30	15	30	...	...	18	20	11	50	3	3	14	4	149	198	801	...	196	...	196	3	180	36	90	10	1316	
Cottage Grove...	87	13	5	78	12	...	12	...	8	22	3	4	2	33	25	8	315	...	17	...	17	4	2	100	20	50	5	513
Crawfordsville...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	6	1	2	...	...	11	
Creswell...	52	...	8	40	10	5	11	30	2	...	1	4	2	54	...	5	237	...	15	443	2	460	2	32	17	37	4	845
Drain...	35	13	...	35	10	...	9	5	10	...	3	3	3	...	...	...	130	...	18	...	18	4	67	14	35	2	270	
Elkton...	373	18	75	285	18	...	47	30	4	62	33	10	10	3	540	266	1795	...	101	...	101	1	250	50	125	30	2352	
Eugene...	15	15	...	7	15	...	7	...	6	10	...	3	3	1	...	...	82	...	...	...	...	70	14	36	...	...	...	
Gardiner...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Goshen Circuit...	106	...	...	97	...	...	16	15	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	69	...	...	...	...	80	16	43	...	...	564	
Harrisburg...	45	13	...	40	13	...	8	2	3	20	...	3	3	1	50	...	415	...	24	...	24	2	70	14	35	3	299	
Halsey...	3	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	
Independence nce...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	216	
Irving...	31	10	...	27	10	...	6	2	15	2	2	2	2	1	54	...	111	...	6	...	7	2	55	11	28	2	...	
Jefferson...	72	19	...	61	19	...	13	15	6	30	10	7	...	...	...	...	322	...	32	1	33	2	120	24	60	...	561	
Lebanon...	64	8	...	61	8	...	11	7	2	29	2	2	3	1	2	...	196	...	15	...	15	2	180	16	40	...	347	
Junction City...	6	3	...	7	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	...	25	3	8	...	...	...	
Lorane Circuit...	5	...	...	20	10	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	...	...	...	...	33	6	10	...	...	...	
Lowell Circuit...	6	...	...	5	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	...	...	...	5	26	6	13	2	70	
Marcola...	83	27	75	74	27	...	17	7	10	41	9	16	6	2	27	39	480	...	32	10	71	4	2	103	21	51	16	747
Marshfield...	8	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mathews and Lyons...	12	...	...	12	...	...	12	2	8	2	6	2	4	1	1	3	72	...	32	2	34	...	14	3	5	1	35	
Monroe Circuit...	26	...	...	24	...	...	8	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	...	17	1	18	...	60	12	30	2	210	
Myrtle Point...	48	5	...	44	4	...	8	1	5	18	4	3	3	1	5	7	154	...	6	...	17	2	62	13	35	...	200	
North Bend...	45	...	...	45	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	...	...	...	...	2	60	12	30	4	273	
Port Orford...	17	2	...	16	2	...	10	5	5	26	5	4	1	1	72	...	272	...	122	1	150	...	35	13	33	9	97	
Shedd...	60	10	6	56	8	...	18	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	398	...	712	...	912	7	120	24	60	...	1521	
Sietz Indian Mission...	100	20	54	100	20	...	5	2	4	...	8	2	4	2	45	4	...	...	...	...	...	12	5	5	...	...	...	
Springfield...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Toledo...	33	7	452	30	5	...	5	2	4	18	7	3	3	1	...	...	570	...	85	...	85	2	10	25	4	746		
Turner...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total...	1700	263	762	1499	255	...	277	161	107	487	116	91	94	35	1293	808	8163	866	2443	28	3741	62	37	2184	445	1091	121	14-92
Increase from 1916...	277	...	495	323	...	...	82	58	10	...	126	14	25	35	8	62	1484	...	690	...	5	...	5	...	...	87	77	4902
Increase from 1916...	21	...	...	...	61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	14-92





# KLAMATH DISTRICT STATISTICS

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NAME OF CHARGE	Church Membership										Sun. Schools					CHURCH PROPERTY										Gen'l Conf. Exp
	Preparatory			Full Members							EpLeagues					CHURCH PROPERTY										
	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Under Instruction for Membership	Received during year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non Resident	Deaths During Year	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollments	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Bldgs.	Estimated Value	Land & Bldgs.	Pd. for Bldgs & Improvements on Chs. & Pars.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Chs. & Pars.	Present Indebtedness on Ch. & Parsonages	Cur' Exp., sexton Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrenn	Paid this year	Balance due for the Quadrenn			
Ashland	3	1		9	10	418	21	6	1	41	426	85		1	13500	1	1500		300	600	21	5	16			
Bonanza and Merrill					7	107	22		4	18	162			2	2900	1	650		100	13		1				
Canyonville					105	75	30		2	14	115			2	2000	1	850	20			3	2				
Central Point		3				62	32		1	7	71	40			1500	1	2000			65						
Gold Hill			1			48	14		1	11	108	35		1	1500			50		30						
Grants Pass	16	1		26	8	345	24	7	1	34	295	74	30	1	12000	1	4000	586	780	430						
Klamath Indian Mission	2	26	84	28	112	104			3	10	135			2	1200	1	300		200	75						
Klamath Falls		3		8		261	34		1	16	182	65		2	6600	1		250	750	200						
Lakeview	5					91	7		1	13	168	24		1	2500	1	500	250			95					
Medford	3	4	20	3	20	430	40	4	1	30	455	120	48	1	8000	1	1200			950						
Pailey	2				4	34			1	10	68			1	2000	1	1200	69	600	4400	42	8	2			
Roseburg	9	10		10	2	333	58	4	2	18	277	37	30	1	15000	1	2000	175	600	870						
Roseburg Circuit	1	3		8	1	72			2	32	98	50		2	1000	1	350	50	58	10						
Sutherlin		8		14	7	124	26	3	2	21	138	32		1	1300		600	125		85						
Talent				1	6	60	20		1	8	103	32		1	3000	1	1000	250		60						
Wilbur				1	4	112			3	18	178	35	15	3	3600	1	1000	250		30						
Wilderville and Kerby				6	69	69	2	1	2	14	84	30	40	3	1150	2	800					4				
Yainax	2	9		20					1	5	65			1	300	1	600									
Yoncalla	1	2		4		85	12	1	2	16	130		30	1	500	1	1000	15		30	7	2	5			
Total	52	68	105	139	355	2830	342	28	33	336	3258	659	193	27	79550	16	17950	3215	2043	6765	3613	36	19	27		
Increase from 1916		7		42	214	178			2	39	474	21	73	1		100	2049	1897		512	36	17	27			
Decrease from 1916	46		15				42	5							8600				2850							
Total for Conference	371	369	527	926	1439	20890	2423	212	217	2106	27442	3728	1228	194	1145010	101	18000	59220	159376	42287	994	396	606			
Increase from 1916			108	25	739	495						267		5		2790	4971	4306		7494	785	278	582			
Decrease from 1916	111	50					632		6	118	2176	126			29275				13278							

### Other Cash Items

NAME OF CHARGE	MISSIONS										Board of S. S.		Bd. Ed. Fund	American Bible Society	Bd. Temp. Probl. and Pub. Morals	Gen. Deacons Bd.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	W.H.M. Society		City Mis. or Ch. Society	Total Disiplinary Benevolences	Edu. Endowments	Other Benevolences	Christian Stewardship	Total	Central Office Expenses, Epworth L.	Support of District Superintendent	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Conference Claimants	Expenses	Grand Total			
	Bd. For. Mis.					B.H.M.-C.E.					Church	S.S. incl. 10% Mises. Offer'g						Public Educ'l Coll.	Children's Fund													Sundays	Special Gifts	Freemen's Aid Society
	Church	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Sundays	Special Gifts	Freemen's Aid Society	Church	S.S. incl. 10% Mises. Offer'g	Public Educ'l Coll.	Children's Fund																								
Asiland.....	144	15	35	129	14	...	18	8	5	45	10	6	3	1	1	1	173	135	25	...	30	...	143	26	65	6	1036							
Bonanza and Merrill...	15	3	13	15	...	...	3	2	2	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	173	135	25	...	30	...	65	6	93								
Canyonville.....	15	3	13	15	...	...	3	2	2	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	173	135	25	...	30	...	65	6	93								
Central Point & Talent.	10	5	4	2	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	173	135	25	...	30	...	65	6	93								
Gold Hill.....	5	4	4	4	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	173	135	25	...	30	...	65	6	93								
Grants Pass.....	5	4	4	4	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	173	135	25	...	30	...	65	6	93								
Klamath Indian Mis on	141	18	129	18	...	...	16	15	9	25	7	6	12	2	2	2	78	69	11	...	103	7	132	28	60	...	856							
Klamath Falls.....	32	16	32	16	...	...	6	1	1	...	...	2	2	2	2	2	78	69	11	...	103	7	132	28	60	...	856							
Lakeview.....	32	16	32	16	...	...	6	1	1	...	...	2	2	2	2	2	78	69	11	...	103	7	132	28	60	...	856							
Medford.....	100	25	68	220	25	...	12	3	10	11	...	5	5	5	5	5	250	77	10	...	538	5	154	28	70	...	169							
Paisley.....	22	5	21	5	...	...	12	3	10	11	...	5	5	5	5	5	250	77	10	...	538	5	154	28	70	...	169							
Roseburg.....	53	49	10	52	48	...	15	2	18	35	10	5	9	1	1	1	94	73	...	...	14	2	110	27	50	...	172							
Roseburg Circuit.....	16	6	15	5	...	...	5	1	3	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	94	73	...	...	14	2	110	27	50	...	172							
Sutherlin.....	14	14	14	14	...	...	5	2	18	35	10	5	9	1	1	1	94	73	...	...	14	2	110	27	50	...	172							
Wibur.....	50	46	14	14	...	...	8	6	3	10	3	3	3	1	1	1	94	73	...	...	14	2	110	27	50	...	172							
Wilderville and Kerby.	17	801	14	14	...	...	1	2	8	10	3	2	2	2	2	2	94	73	...	...	14	2	110	27	50	...	172							
Yanay.....	25	5	20	5	...	...	10	7	5	8	4	3	3	2	2	2	94	73	...	...	14	2	110	27	50	...	172							
Yoncalla.....	25	5	20	5	...	...	10	7	5	8	4	3	3	2	2	2	94	73	...	...	14	2	110	27	50	...	172							
Total.....	656	149	126	690	162	...	105	56	60	173	60	42	46	14	596	386	173	...	3424	430	515	5	1032	16	1243	41	539	19	6511					
Increase from 1916.....	23	15	53	22	...	...	7	19	4	4	...	...	14	1	18	159	173	...	6	130	130	...	4	27	79	17	1979							
Decrease from 1916.....	...	43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
EUGENE.....	1700	263	762	1499	255	...	277	161	107	487	116	91	94	34	1208	808	106	5	9163	806	2448	28	3741	62	372184	445	1091	121	14892					
KLAMATH.....	656	149	126	620	162	...	105	56	60	173	60	42	46	14	596	386	173	...	3424	430	515	5	1032	16	1243	41	539	19	6511					
PORTLAND.....	2312	476	801	2224	311	...	311	355	213	155	709	152	107	122	74	2474	897	121	1205	12663	4083	17	5883	104	392883	563	1457	131	24768					
SALEM.....	2300	586	735	2183	499	...	3	430	313	164	1003	159	153	294	54	2512	1430	278	1	12936	45	2336	8	2409	28	412785	905	1507	132	20443				
Total for Conference.	6868	1474	2424	6526	1227	...	14	1167	743	486	2372	487	393	416	176	6875	3521	768	1301	37186	3646	4	9402	58	13132	1124	133	9045	1860	4594	403	66614		
EUGENE—	277	...	495	...	61	...	82	58	...	126	14	25	35	8	...	102	196	5	1484	...	690	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
KLAMATH—	23	...	15	53	22	...	7	19	4	...	10	14	1	18	159	121	831	1236	6	...	130	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
PORTLAND—	220	129	43	408	40	...	1	20	64	455	25	22	40	51	222	587	1	2141	...	...	1052	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
SALEM—	404	238	...	427	228	...	1	95	115	28	759	32	21	68	16	841	168	278	1	...	1424	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Decrease	...	208	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			

## MINISTERIAL SUPPORT

NAME OF CHARGE	Name of Pastor	Support of Pastor				Support of District Superintendent				Support of Bishops				Support of Conference Claimants				Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Local Preachers on Charge
		Total Claim	Inc. H. se Rent	Total Paid	Rental Value of Parsonage	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid							
Astoria.....	W. S. Gordon.....	\$ 1840	\$ 1860	\$ 360	\$ 150	\$ 80	\$ 150	\$ 30	\$ 30	\$ 75	\$ 75	\$ 2115								
Clatskanie & Mayner.....	S. D. Johnson.....	900	900	100	80	16	16	40	43	1039										
Knappa & Svenson.....	Otto Scheurmann.....	200	200					5	5	182										
Portland—Brentwood.....	Paul F. Green.....	158						2	2	26										
Carson Heights.....	Paul F. Green.....	28																		
Centenary.....	T. W. Lane.....	3500	3500	500	300	65	65	150	150	4015										
Central.....	C. C. Barick.....	1600	1600	300	130	30	30	65	65	1815										
Clinton Kelly Memorial.....	A. B. Calder.....	337	337		33	6	6	17	17	390										
Epworth.....	C. O. McCulloch.....	1100	1100	300	80	16	16	40	40	1236										
First Church.....	Joshua Stansfield.....	4600	4600	600	400	80	80	200	200	5280										
Laurelwood.....	C. R. Carlos.....	1300	1300	300	100	15	15	35	40	1455										
Lents.....	F. M. Jasper.....	800	800	125	67	13	13	33	33	913										
Lincoln.....	W. T. Kerr.....	400	400		30	6	6	6	6	442										
Linnton.....	S. H. Dewart.....	430	430	120				18	18	430										
Mt. Tabor.....	E. O. Eldridge.....	1586	1586	180	140	28	28	70	70	1818										
Montavilla.....	C. L. Hamilton.....	1200	1200	200	100	23	23	50	50	1373										
Patton.....	Geo. H. Fease.....	1092	960	192	90	15	15	45	45	1110										
Rose City Park.....	Aaron Heist.....	1650	1650	360	129	25	25	65	65	1869										
Sellwood.....	A. R. Maclean.....	1500	1500	250	125	25	25	62	62	1712										
St. Johns.....	J. H. Irvine.....	1100	1100	300	80	16	16	40	40	1236										
Sunnyside.....	Robert E. Smith.....	2500	2500	400	210	35	35	105	105	2850										
Trinity and Westmoreland.....	F. N. Sandifur.....	1118	1118	150	97	14	14	44	44	1233										
University Park.....	J. T. Abbott.....	1500	1500	300	120	24	24	60	60	1704										
Woodlawn.....	W. E. Kloster.....	1100	1100	200	90	15	15	45	45	1250										
Woodstock.....	L. C. Poor.....	950	950	150	80	16	16	40	40	1086										
Reinier & Hudson.....	A. S. Mulligan.....	875	875	150	72	15	15	39	39	1001										
Seaside.....	F. W. Keagy.....	1000	1000	100	90	15	15	45	45	1150										
St. Helens & Houlton.....	A. S. Hasy.....	1312	1312	200	111	18	18	55	55	1496										
Warrenton & Hammond.....	Alfred Bates.....	570	570		50	10	10	25	25	655										
Total.....		\$36124	\$36126	\$ 5838	\$ 2854	\$ 2834	\$ 573	\$ 566	\$ 1455	\$41081										
Increase from 1916.....				388		47		29		229										
Decrease from 1916.....		1239			67			3												

NAME OF CHARGE	BAPTISMS			Church Membership				Sunday Schools			Epw'th League		CHURCH PROPERTY						Gen. Con. Expenses					
	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children who are under In-struction for Mem'p	Prep'ry	Full Members			Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Paid for Buildings on Ch's and Parages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses, Section, Fuel, Light, etc.	Aptodunum for the Year	Paid this Year	Balance Due for the Year	
					Now on Roll	Full	Non-Resident																	Members on Roll
Astoria.....	13	9	5	17	8	165	29	...	26	356	65	24	1	1	43000	1	3300	34874	...	...	950	16	4	8
Clatskanie & Mayger.....	1	3	...	9	10	136	10	1	25	261	40	25	2	2	21	1	1000	2000	...	1000	40	12	4	...
Knappa & Svenson.....	...	5	...	3	...	19	5	...	2	115	...	...	...	...	1	1	1000	...	...	...	18	6	2	4
Portland—Brentwood.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carson Heights.....	1	8	...	7	3	768	130	4	1	3	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...
Centenary.....	6	7	...	...	...	219	42	2	1	32	669	80	...	...	65000	1	6000	150	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central.....	...	...	...	...	...	219	42	2	2	43	482	...	...	...	16000	1	2500	642	300	142	1960	38	25	43
Clinton Kelly Memorial.....	...	...	...	...	...	18	152	10	1	15	280	22	18	1	10500	1	500	1180	1777	207	180	45	10	30
Epworth.....	...	...	...	...	...	12	1234	19	1	11	44	680	60	...	170000	1	25000	500	5000	1200	5822	120	40	80
First Church.....	2	11	...	...	...	10	12	12	1	13	209	45	38	...	3000	1	3000	100	100	1200	275	...	...	...
Laurelwood.....	2	4	...	...	...	6	6	2	1	10	180	...	...	...	3000	1	3000	100	100	1200	725	...	...	...
Lents.....	3	7	...	...	...	207	27	1	1	13	209	45	38	...	3000	1	3000	103	375	875	725	10	3	7
Lincoln.....	...	...	...	...	...	39	...	...	1	14	98	17	18	...	2575	1	1500	...	...	...	...	5	1	4
Linnton.....	...	2	...	...	...	12	4	...	1	10	88	...	...	...	2500	1	1500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mt. Tabor.....	1	5	...	...	...	37	37	4	1	23	200	31	35	...	10500	1	1500	200	5510	888	...	...	...	...
Montavilla.....	1	2	...	...	...	16	12	4	3	31	281	29	30	...	5500	1	1500	165	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patton.....	...	5	...	...	...	190	25	7	1	16	310	...	...	...	5000	...	...	75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rose City Park.....	11	7	...	...	...	33	214	...	1	42	491	...	...	...	12000	...	...	...	...	...	1342	12	10	2
Sellwood.....	...	...	...	...	...	21	364	...	1	36	510	70	60	...	8000	1	2200	250	...	...	470	12	...	...
St. Johns.....	1	5	...	...	...	335	30	4	1	32	252	48	14	...	3000	1	3000	100	100	14000	2900	...	...	...
St. Johns.....	...	...	...	...	...	126	...	1	1	53	770	93	22	...	5000	1	3360	300	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sunnyside.....	22	10	...	...	...	1002	41	7	1	53	770	93	22	...	14	1	3500	100	...	...	...	10	...	9
Trinity & Westmoreland.....	1	1	...	...	...	4	8	90	16	2	15	184	20	...	6000	1	3500	50	700	425	12	4	...	8
University Park.....	1	6	...	...	...	277	94	3	3	19	269	45	25	...	3500	1	2090	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Woodlawn.....	1	1	...	...	...	174	3	3	1	22	241	37	20	...	3500	1	2090	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Woodlawn.....	4	4	...	...	...	16	17	...	1	15	275	50	...	...	9000	1	2500	50	1215	371	...	...	...	...
Rainier & Hudson.....	...	...	...	...	...	7	73	32	1	17	172	16	...	...	5000	1	1400	220	245	170	...	...	...	5
Seaside.....	1	5	...	...	...	10	17	125	48	2	14	129	25	...	6500	1	1200	505	101	370	...	...	...	6
St. Helens, Houlton.....	2	6	...	...	...	1	1	14	1	43	463	25	...	...	3	7500	250	220	864	588	...	...	...	10
Warrenton & Hammond.....	1	...	...	...	...	20	4	4	3	10	185	30	...	...	2500	1	185	220	...	...	...	...	...	7
Total.....	82	124	211	279	586	6436	670	58	42	670	8369	868	377	34	474825	21	67150	41899	3862	78237	18502	383	131	228
Increase from 1916.....	...	...	147	...	323	3	...	9	4	...	674	211	93	2	51375	...	4650	29006	6428	631	1808	253	66	213
Decrease from 1916.....	50	48	...	85	...	...	550	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...







NAME OF CHARGE		NAME OF PASTOR		Total Claim Including House Rent		Total Paid Including House Rent		Rental Value of Parsonage		Superintendent		Disrupts		Claims		Paid		Total Paid for Ministerial Supply		Total Deficiency		Local Preachers	
Amity.....	G. O. Oliver.....	1150	1150	150	90	90	20	20	50	50	1310	1310	50	50	1310	1310	50	50	1310	1310	50	50	
Ballston.....	J. W. Warrell.....	500	500	75	45	45	10	10	25	25	380	380	10	10	25	25	380	380	10	10	380	380	
Banks.....	B. A. Bristol.....	285	285	100	18	18	12	12	31	31	824	824	6	6	31	31	824	824	6	6	824	824	
Beaverton.....	G. A. Gray.....	725	725	100	56	56	18	18	6	6	208	208	8	8	20	20	208	208	8	8	208	208	
Boring and Bennett.....	T. W. Adkinson.....	282	282	50	36	36	6	6	20	20	514	514	6	6	20	20	514	514	6	6	514	514	
Brooks.....	S. W. Hall.....	450	450	150	81	81	18	18	12	12	27	27	20	20	27	20	27	20	27	20	27	20	
Carby.....	W. Boyd Moore.....	1050	1050	150	27	27	17	17	6	6	3	3	9	9	5	5	206	206	136	136	1	1	
Carus and Central.....	Dan Perrell.....	300	300	181	63	63	54	54	14	14	12	12	35	35	30	30	802	802	120	120	1	1	
Clackamas and Oswego.....	J. F. Coleman.....	700	700	100	54	54	12	12	28	28	794	794	12	12	28	28	794	794	12	12	794	794	
Cornelius.....	J. G. Crozier.....	1300	1300	200	99	99	22	22	55	55	1476	1476	15	15	36	36	1041	1041	2	2	1041	1041	
Dallas.....	J. M. Brown.....	925	925	725	65	65	15	15	36	36	1041	1041	10	10	25	25	635	635	2	2	635	635	
Dayton.....	J. A. Marcy.....	555	555	55	45	45	10	10	25	25	635	635	4	4	6	6	344	344	70	70	1	1	
Dundee.....	J. S. Moore.....	324	324	84	10	10	15	15	14	14	37	37	957	957	70	70	1	1	957	957	1	1	
Dulley.....	C. W. Comstock.....	900	900	840	100	100	72	72	66	66	9	9	365	365	1	1	24	24	537	537	1	1	
Estacada.....	Henry Spiess.....	325	325	50	25	25	6	6	9	9	24	24	537	537	1	1	24	24	537	537	1	1	
Fairview.....	B. C. Brewster.....	520	520	100	37	37	6	6	21	21	6	6	12	12	6	6	234	234	222	222	1	1	
Falls City.....	A. F. Hanson.....	400	400	206	36	36	18	18	8	8	25	25	63	63	63	63	1810	1810	1	1	1810	1810	
Fargo.....	E. Sherwood.....	1610	1610	360	112	112	25	25	50	50	1340	1340	20	20	50	50	1340	1340	3	3	1340	1340	
Forest Grove.....	R. E. Dunlap.....	1180	1180	180	90	90	20	20	50	50	1360	1360	5	5	1	1	400	400	1	1	400	400	
Gresham.....	A. C. Bruckenberg.....	1200	1200	200	90	90	20	20	50	50	1360	1360	5	5	1	1	400	400	1	1	400	400	
Hillsboro.....	W. Ski, worth.....	376	376	100	18	18	5	5	7	7	268	268	6	6	288	288	1	1	268	268	1	1	
Lafayette.....	Carl Reetz.....	236	236	60	21	21	4	4	4	4	6	6	288	288	1	1	268	268	1	1	268	268	
Liverly.....	A. Hawthorne.....	150	150	260	18	18	4	4	4	4	6	6	288	288	1	1	268	268	1	1	268	268	
Livesley.....	A. Hawthorne.....	685	685	710	50	59	13	13	24	24	60	60	1592	1592	1	1	1592	1592	1	1	1592	1592	
Marquam and Hubbard.....	Thomas Acheson.....	1400	1400	200	108	108	24	24	60	60	1592	1592	9	9	24	24	676	676	1	1	676	676	
McMinnville.....	D. Lester Fields.....	600	600	125	43	43	9	9	24	24	676	676	12	12	30	30	846	846	1	1	846	846	
Meizer.....	S. J. Kester.....	750	750	150	54	54	12	12	30	30	846	846	10	10	31	31	897	897	3	3	897	897	
Mollalla.....	F. W. Snyder.....	725	725	900	56	56	10	10	31	31	897	897	20	20	50	50	1360	1360	1	1	1360	1360	
Nebalem.....	R. C. Young.....	1200	1200	200	90	90	20	20	50	50	1360	1360	80	80	1	1	400	400	1	1	400	400	
Newberg.....	R. E. Myers.....	80	80	188	112	112	25	25	62	62	1637	1637	37	37	1	1	615	615	3	3	615	615	
North Plains.....	B. A. Bristol.....	1438	1438	188	112	112	25	25	62	62	1637	1637	37	37	1	1	615	615	3	3	615	615	
Oregon City.....	E. E. Gilbert.....	572	572	72	45	45	27	27	10	10	284	284	16	16	15	15	595	595	43	43	595	595	
Oak Grove.....	Dow DeLong.....	575	575	100	42	42	6	6	16	16	595	595	43	43	2	2	3284	3284	7	7	3284	3284	
Pleasant Home and Hliff Salem—First Church.....	F. S. Ford.....	2900	2900	500	216	216	48	48	120	120	3284	3284	48	48	120	120	3284	3284	7	7	3284	3284	
Jason Lee Memorial.....	R. N. Avison.....	1000	1000	200	72	72	16	16	40	40	1128	1128	19	19	50	50	1851	1851	1	1	1851	1851	
Leslie.....	W. E. Ingalls.....	1192	1192	192	90	90	19	19	50	50	1851	1851	22	22	22	22	621	621	15	15	621	621	
West Salem.....	H. N. Aldrich.....	550	550	100	40	40	9	9	22	22	621	621	15	15	2	2	310	310	2	2	310	310	
Sandy.....	W. J. Warren.....	290	290	550	20	20	5	5	10	10	310	310	30	30	796	796	2	2	310	310	2	2	
Scholls and Farmington.....	M. M. Minor.....	700	700	100	54	54	12	12	30	30	846	846	18	18	45	45	1244	1244	37	37	1244	1244	
Sheridan.....	Oren Wall.....	1100	1100	200	81	81	18	18	45	45	1244	1244	37	37	40	40	1089	1089	1	1	1089	1089	
Silverton.....	C. L. Dark.....	975	975	175	72	72	12	12	35	35	907	907	2	2	60	60	1162	1162	170	170	1162	1162	
Stayton.....	E. M. Smith.....	799	799	120	70	70	68	68	9	9	35	35	907	907	2	2	162	162	170	170	162	162	
Tillamook.....	E. B. Lockhart.....	1400	1400	1255	108	108	94	94	24	24	61	61	52	52	170	170	2	2	162	162	170	170	
Tualatin.....	A. F. Lacey.....	250	250	215	3	3	1	1	5	5	227	227	432	432	1	1	227	227	432	432	1	1	
Viola.....	H. P. Blake.....	600	600	214	54	54	8	8	8	8	21	21	580	580	25	25	23	23	580	580	25	25	
Willamina.....	C. W. Pogue.....	612	612	72	29	29	39	39	10	10	25	25	23	23	60	60	1108	1108	1	1	1108	1108	
Wilson ile and Willamette.....	G. B. Harrison.....	800	800	506	45	45	10	10	25	25	23	23	60	60	1108	1108	1	1	1108	1108	1	1	
Woodburn.....	C. R. Abbott.....	1200	1200	200	108	108	24	24	60	60	1108	1108	16	16	40	40	1108	1108	1	1	1108	1108	
Yambill and Carlton.....	E. G. Decker.....	944	944	144	72	72	16	16	40	40	1108	1108	16	16	40	40	1108	1108	1	1	1108	1108	
Robert Brymer.....	Robert Brymer.....	38052	38052	5828	2950	2785	625	587	1542	1542	42924	42924	1774	1774	39	39	1500	1500	1774	1774	39	39	
Total.....	Total.....	38250	38250	206	36	74	31	23	199	199	1567	1567	1387	1387	1	1	1567	1567	1387	1387	1	1	
Increase from 1916.....	Increase from 1916.....	273	273	1342	36	74	31	23	199	199	1567	1567	1387	1387	1	1	1567	1567	1387	1387	1	1	
Decrease from 1916.....	Decrease from 1916.....	273	273	1342	36	74	31	23	199	199	1567	1567	1387	1387	1	1	1567	1567	1387	1387	1	1	

NAME OF CHARGE

NAME OF CHARGE	BAPTISMS				Church Membership				Sunday Schools				Epworth League		CHURCH PROPERTY										Gen. Con. Expenses		
	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children Under Instruction for Membership	Received During Year	Prepara.				Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Bldgs.	Estimated Value	Land and Bldgs.	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Land & Bldgs.	Paid Bldgs., Imps., on Ch's and Par.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Ch's and Par.	Present Indebtedness on Ch's and Par.	Current Ex's, Sectors, Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrantum	Paid This Year	Balance Due for the Quadrantum	
					Now on Roll	Full Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Deaths During Year																			
Amity.....	9	1	3	9	134	10		10	18	153	40		1	2500			1	800	100			150					
Baldon.....	5			5	87	21		21	22	114	42		3	2700			1	1000	50			30	10	3	7		
Banks.....				2	70	10		10	2	58	18		2	3500			1	1000	50			55	4	2	8		
Beaverton.....				1	59	7		7	2	118			2	4700			1	1600	100	50		67	12	4			
Boring and Bennett.....					53				2	18	118			2	3000			2	500				48				
Brooks.....					114	16	3	3	3	20	177	25		2	3000			1	500	15			35	9	1	8	
Canby.....	4	3		10	93	25		25	2	18	140	25		1	1500			1	1000	80	1012	4500	180				
Carus and Central.....					29	13	1	1	3	12	80	41		1	11500			1	500	80			25				
Clackamas and Oswego.....					7	94	13	1	3	30	170	21	16	2	1400			1	1500	50			45	12	3	8	
Cornelius.....	5	3		4	79	8		8	1	10	155	20		1	4000			1	600	74			60	4	7		
Dallas.....	10			5	204	61		61	1	22	288	42	34	1	4500			1	1500	275	500	401	196	22	7	15	
Dayton.....	11	1	1	8	20	147	23	1	1	38	301	26		3	6600			1	2500	250	500		165	5	1	4	
Dundee.....	1	1	1	2	4	76			1	18	136	24		1	1200			1	500	38			75	10	4	6	
Dilley.....					1	34	11		1	11	114	19		1	1000			1	500				419				
Estacada.....	2	3		6	9	94	16	2	3	26	242			4	6800			2	1500	212			92	2			
Farview.....	1	10		2	15	20	44	8	3	17	145	44	30	4	4500			1	655	55			33				
Falls City.....	4	2		15	18	92	8		3	18	102			1	1500			1	655	55			100	8			
Fargo.....	7	5	8	12	8	355	45	4	1	5	45			1	2500			1	250	250	540	1600	29	18	6	12	
Forest Grove.....	4	4	4	4	128	114	14	1	1	29	488	64	26	1	17500			1	4250	50			250	18	6	12	
Gresham.....				2	3	164	12	3	1	24	188	50	10	1	5700			1	1600				150	3			
Hillsboro.....					6	36			1	20	180	20	56	1	9000			1	1000				334	20	7	13	
Lafayette.....	1								1	10	74			1	1500			1	1000				37	2			
Liberty.....					50	11			1	11	84							1	500	38			419				
Livestock.....	2	4		8	3	19			1	14	75			1	2850			1	420	87	500	63	5				
Marquam and Hubbard.....	4	4	1	1	11	105	7		5	28	51			4	6300			1	1000			70	13	1	9		
McMinnyville.....	2	2		2	251	63			1	20	364	80		1	7000			1	1200			250	6				
Metzger.....					85	19	2	3	18	208				3	5035			1	1800	1875	500		137	3			
Molalla.....	12	10	16	16	3	77	4	2	2	52	267	35		2	4700			1	1200	69	75		137				
Nehalem.....					2	80	2	2	2	177	24	18		4	6400			1	1300	139	270	500	140	12	4	8	
Newberg.....	3			10	6	280	20	4	4	32	312	55		1	5500			1	1800	40			320	21	6	15	
North Plains.....									1	8	58			1	1500			1					5				
Oregon City.....	2	5		6	346	12			1	28	315	61		1	4500			1		227			296				
Oak Grove.....				6	6	65	6	1	1	13	231	50		1	4000			1		227			296				
Pleasant Home and Iliff.....					60	44		1	1	14	110			2	3500			1	1000	600	280		60			4	
Salem—1st Church.....	17	4	26	44	8	1013	140	14	1	41	491	120	26	1	34000			1	6000	1003	280	3220	3411	48	16	32	
Jason Lee Memorial.....	5	3	5	9	2	159	50	5	1	22	267	35	35	1	20000			1	1500	650	155	1660	462	20	7	13	
Leslie.....	2	2	15	5	191	35			1	24	356	42	61	1	12000			1	1500	650	155	1660	462	20	7	13	
West Salem.....				4	3	64	12	1	3	29	169			2	2700			1	2000	100			40				
Sandy.....	1			4	4	3	64	12	1	5	25	110		3	5300			1	150				80				
Scholls and Farmington.....	2			7	61	16	1	1	2	12	121	20		1	1200			1	200	100	82		60				
Sheridan.....	6		10	7	10	170	31	2	1	18	228	25	25	1	2000			1	2000	35	243	551	150	5			
Stanton.....	2	1	12	7	4	119	4	1	1	15	248	20	15	1	5000			1	1500				246				
Stayton.....			1	1	3	48	23		1	8	48	16		1	3800			1	1500				246				
Tillamook.....	1			6	1	126	6		1	13	151			1	2500			1	2000				167				
Tualatin.....	2	2		1	4	41	2	1	1	18	48			1	2500			1				2500					
Viola.....	1	1		7	7	28			3	18	78	30	9	1	3500			1	500				20				
Willamina.....	12	2		6	112	2			2	20	290	20	3	1	3500			1	900				60				
Wilsonville and Willamette.....	2	1	14	3	17	87	3	1	2	30	310	60	45	2	5500			1	1500				50	10	3	7	
Woodb. rn.....	9			3	2	360	35	5	1	33	310	60	45	2	5500			1	1500				675				
Yamhill and Carlton.....	4	1	3	10	3	132	11		1	8	138	35		3	5500			1	1000	20	395		100	12	3	9	

## NAME OF CHARGE

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## Roll of Honor

The Sons and Daughters of the Parsonage Who Have Enlisted.

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Dr. C. W. Hamilton,  
Medical Dept., Marine Barracks  
Port Royal, S. C.

J. W. Hamilton,  
Ambulance Corp,  
American Lake, Wash.

Henry R. Abbett,  
1st Class Musician, U. S. S. Frederick,  
Care Postmaster New York City.

Ferris W. Abbett,  
High Class Private, Co. M., 3rd Ore. Infantry,

George H. Feese, Jr.,  
3rd Musician, 3rd Ore. Infantry,  
Headquarters Co., Camp Green, Charlotte, N. C.

Dwight A. Kloster,  
Private, 3rd Ore. Infantry,

Vernon J. Kloster,  
Orderly, 3rd Ore. Infantry,

Athill W. Irvine,  
Private, 3rd Ore. Infantry, Co. K.,  
Camp Green, Charlotte, N. C.

William Sherwood,  
3rd Ore. Infantry, Co. M.,

First Serg. J. C. Rollins, Jr.  
3rd Ore. Infantry, Co. K.,  
Camp Green, Charlotte, N. C.

First Lieut. John H. Gibson,  
34th Infantry,  
Fort Bliss, Tex.



Merrill Gibson,  
5th Co., O. C. A.,  
Fort Canby.

Stanley W. Green,  
32nd Base Hospital Corp, Red Cross,  
Hotel Henry, San Francisco.

Herbert M. Dunlap,  
Coxswain, U. S. N., U. S. S. Vigilant,  
San Francisco.  
(Attached to U. S. Naval Training Station)

F. R. Mickelson,  
Hospital Corps.

Ivy Ford Swafford,  
Oregon City., Ore.  
Red Cross—In France.

Sam Edwin Danford,  
Hospital Corps,  
Roundup, Montana.

Dr. H. O. Danford,  
1st Lieut., Dental Corps,  
Roundup, Montana.

Chas. V. Parsons,  
3rd Ore. Infantry, Co. E.,  
Camp Green, Charlotte, N. C.

Joseph S. Rarick,  
3rd Ore., Battery B. Field Artillery,  
(Honorable discharge on account of illness. Will re-enlist.

Private James H. Downs,  
435452, 49th Battalion Calgary Regiment,  
Canadian Expeditionary Force.  
Enlisted May, 1915, now convalescent from T. B.

Wm. N. C. Downs,  
Enlisted in the Washington Infantry.  
Discharged Aug. 19th, because of dependents.

Howard T. McCulloch,  
8 months on Border, Troop, 3rd Oregon.  
Honorable discharge. Now working Cantonment Battle  
Creek, Mich.



### LAYMAN'S ASSOCIATION OF THE OREGON CONFERENCE.

The annual session of the Oregon Lay Conference met in the Christian Church on the morning of September 29th, 1917. After singing and prayer, President A. M. Hammer spoke interestingly about the work of the Association, and regretted that he had been unable to visit the principal cities in the Conference. G. F. Billings was appointed secretary pro tem. Mr. E. J. Swafford, of Salem, presented the needs and work of the Methodist Old People's Home in a pointed manner.

It was decided that the Association through its membership personally take up the matter of raising the balance of the \$5,000.00 needed to secure a conditional subscription of \$10,000.00. The City of Salem has already pledged \$5,000.00 for the Home.

Rev. Dr. E. F. Fulkerson in well chosen words enthusiastically addressed the convention in the interests of Foreign Missions and the great magazine, "The World Outlook."

Rev. D. H. Leech, of Corvallis, Chairman of the Conference Claimant's Permanent Fund of the Oregon Conference, was presented and told of the work being done.

Rev. E. C. Richards, special representative of Willamette University gave an encouraging report of the wonderful progress being made by that pioneer college of the Northwest.

A. F. Flegel was elected as a Trustee of the Permanent Fund for Conference Claimants.

Various encouraging reports of advanced work were made by delegates.

Dr. R. N. Avison brought the greetings of the Oregon Conference to the Lay Conference. The President appointed Messrs. A. M. Beaver, G. A. G. Moore and Mrs. E. E. Upmeyer a committee to carry our best wishes to the Annual Conference.

The Railroad Secretary, Rev. W. B. Moore made an announcement as to reduced fare.

H. B. Carpenter, Dr. Emery, and Mrs. C. C. Parounagian were appointed a committee on nominations.

### AFTERNOON SESSION.

M. S. Allen, J. K. Gill and G. F. Billings were requested to meet

the committee from the Conference on the Permanent Endowment Fund of the Conference Claimants.

Mrs. J. T. Abbett, R. W. Smith and Dr. Emery were appointed a committee on resolutions.

Miss Ida Dewitt held the attention of the Association as she told of the good work being done by the "Industrial Center" of Portland.

A collection of \$16.30 was taken to assist her in securing provisions for hungry children. Treasurer A. F. Flegel's annual report was read.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, A. M. Hammer, Albany; First Vice-President, J. W. Day, Portland; Second Vice-President, B. L. Steeves, Salem; Third Vice-President, J. S. Van Winkle, Albany; Fourth Vice-President, Clarence Meeker, Medford; Corresponding Secretary, E. A. Baker, Portland; Recording Secretary, A. A. Lee, Salem; Treasurer, J. L. Hartman, Portland.

Dr. J. W. Van Cleve gave a valuable address on Church finances and new plans for raising Church funds.

Dr. Stansfield read the joint report of the committee on the Permanent Endowment Fund.

All missed the presence and helpful words of our former secretary and hearty co-worker the late T. S. McDaniel.

A delegate spoke of work done by Mrs. Esther Bowers Alcove who died at Brownsville on April 12, 1917.

The attendance was much less than formally but President Hammer said he was determined to arouse enthusiasm for the next Convention to be held at Astoria.

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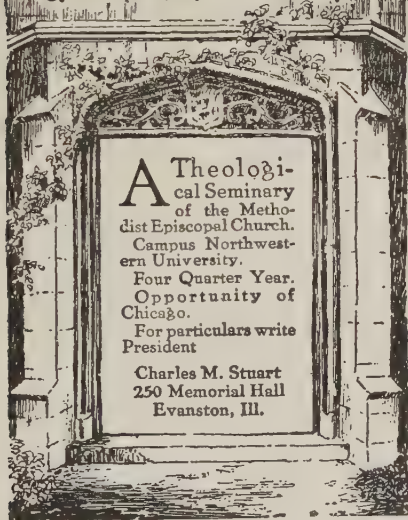
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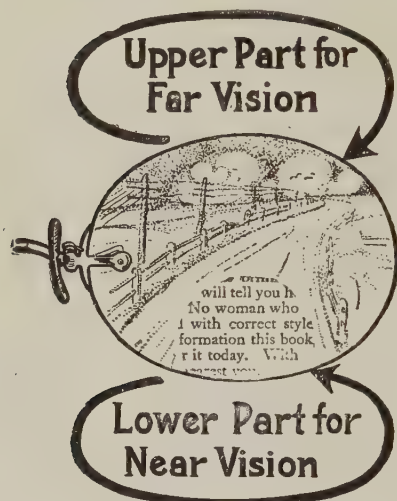
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*1850	Sept. 4.....	Oregon City.....	Wm. Roberts.....	"
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*1852	Sept. 2.....	Portland.....	Wm. Roberts.....	"
1853	Mar. 17.....	Salem.....	E. R. Ames.....	"
1854	Mar. 16.....	Belknap Settlement.....	M. Simpson.....	Wm. Roberts
1855	Aug. 1.....	Oregon City.....	O. C. Baker.....	"
1856	Sept. 17.....	Portland.....	Levi Scott.....	"
1857	Aug. 13.....	Corvallis.....	E. S. James.....	"
1858	Aug. 11.....	Salem.....	Levi Scott.....	H. K. Hines
1859	Aug. 10.....	Albany.....	O. C. Baker.....	I. Dillon
1860	Aug. 22.....	Portland.....	E. R. Ames.....	Wm. Roberts
1861	Aug. 7.....	Eugene.....	C. S. Kingsley.....	"
1862	Aug. 6.....	Vancouver, Wash.....	M. Simpson.....	"
1863	Aug. 12.....	Lebanon.....	E. S. James.....	"
1864	Aug. 18.....	Salem.....	D. W. Clark.....	C. C. Stratton
1865	Aug. 10.....	Olympia, Wash.....	Jas. H. Wilbur.....	"
1866	Aug. 8.....	Albany.....	E. C. Benson.....	"
1867	Aug. 7.....	Portland.....	E. Thompson.....	"
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1876	Aug. 23.....	Albany.....	Wm. Harris.....	"
1877	Aug. 29.....	Seattle, Wash.....	Thos. Bowman.....	"
1878	Aug. 28.....	Salem.....	E. G. Andrews.....	"
1879	Aug. 20.....	First Church, Portland.....	Gilbert Haven.....	"
1880	Aug. 19.....	Eugene.....	I. W. Wiley.....	"
1881	Aug. 29.....	East Portland.....	W. L. Harris.....	"
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1883	Aug. 22.....	Vancouver, Wash.....	Henry Warren.....	"
1884	Aug. 27.....	Salem.....	Chas. Fowler.....	"
1885	Aug. 26.....	Roseburg.....	J. M. Walden.....	"
1886	Aug. 26.....	Forest Grove.....	Wm. L. Harris.....	"
1887	Aug. 31.....	Grace Church, Portland.....	R. S. Foster.....	"
1888	Aug. 30.....	Eugene.....	W. X. Ninde.....	John Parsons
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## Rules of Order

1. The Conference session shall open each day at 8:30 a. m. and close at 11:45 a. m., the devotional services to be under the direction of the Bishop.

2. The President shall take the chair at precisely the hour to which the Conference stood adjourned, and after devotions shall have the minutes of the previous session read and approved.

3. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to appeal to the Conference; but in case of an appeal the question shall be taken without debate. Provided, that after the President shall have stated the reason for his decision, the appellant may give the grounds of his appeal.

4. The President shall appoint all committees not otherwise ordered by the Conference.

5. All motions and resolutions shall be reduced to writing if the President, Secretary or any member requests it.

6. No motion shall be considered unless seconded.

7. When a motion is made and stated by the Chair, a resolution offered or a report read, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference.

8. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration is disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following should intervene, which motion shall have precedence in the following order, viz.:

- (1) The previous question.
- (2) Indefinite postponement.
- (3) To lay on the table.
- (4) To refer to a committee.
- (5) To postpone to a given time.
- (6) To amend.
- (7) To substitute.
- (8) To recommit.

9. Every speaker on any subject shall rise and address the President, and shall not be interrupted while speaking, unless he departs from the rules and decorum of the Conference.

10. No member shall be permitted to speak more than ten minutes at any one time, nor more than once on the same question,



until all have spoken who desire, unless leave be granted by the Conference, which shall be decided by vote without debate.

11. Any member shall have the right to state a question of privilege, raise a point of order and make an explanation when he considers his arguments have been misrepresented by another.

12. When speaking, each member shall have due regard for the feelings of his brethren by avoiding irritating language and personal reflections.

13. The yeas and nays may be taken on any motion on the call of one-third of the members present.

14. When any measure shall have been adopted, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

15. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order and shall be decided without debate, unless it shall be for adjournment to a fixed time.

16. No member shall absent himself from the Conference without leave, unless he be sick or otherwise unable to attend.

17. The bar of the Conference shall be fixed by vote, and no member outside the bar will be permitted to vote on any question, and all members inside the bar shall vote upon all questions, unless they are excused by the Conference.

18. Visitors who address the Conference by permission shall not be permitted to speak more than ten minutes without unanimous consent.

19. All expressions of approval or disapproval during the progress of debate shall be deemed a breach of order.

20. In case an executive session be ordered, only members in full connection shall be permitted to sit therein, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

21. These rules of order shall not be altered or suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

## General Rules

1. The Presiding Bishop is respectfully requested not to transfer into our Conference more men than are transferred out; not to bring men to places within our bounds without careful and equitable adjustment for all; but this rule shall not be construed to the injury of our developing work or so as to embarrass the authorities in providing for new work.

2. All changes involving conference relations, as well as all candidates for admission on trial, readmission, admission upon credentials from other churches and for admission into full membership, shall be referred to a committee on Conference Relations; and no such change of relations shall be granted, nor any such candidate admitted, until such committee shall have made its report.

3. Whenever the Conference is to consider the admission on trial or reception into full connection of any brother, it shall go into executive session, (when necessary) said session to convene Friday at 1:30 p. m.

4. No candidate shall be admitted on trial into this Conference who is over 40 years of age.

5. All committees or societies to whom are committed matters requiring anniversary or other public service shall provide the program for such service.

6. Membes are strictly forbidden to remain in the vestibule during the devotional exercises.

7. The roll of our honored dead shall be called immediately after the regular roll call in the presence of the Conference standing.

8. At the close of each Conference session the District Superintendents shall appoint a Committee on Memoirs, composed of one member from each district and one from the Conference at large, which shall be placed upon the list of standing committees. Each District Superintendent shall report to his committee the death of any minister or wife, or children of any minister, which may occur in his District. The chairman of this committee shall note the death of any member of the Conference or the wife of any such member, and then confer with the members of the committee. The memorial service shall be held immediately after the roll call of our honored dead. It shall consist of usual devotional exercises and an address of twenty minutes in length by some member of the

Conference named by the committee in charge. The Committee on Memoirs shall have full control of the Conference memorial service.

9. The General Educational Collection shall be applied to the Endowment Fund of Willamette University, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of the Conference, and delivered to the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees.

10. The Secretary of the Conference shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and when approved, the printed minutes shall be the official record of the Conference. He shall take charge of the journals and all Conference papers, keep them safe and have them forwarded to the place of Conference sessions.

11. It shall be the duty of the Conference Treasurer to place in the hands of the Conference Claimants present, and to send to those absent, drafts for the amount due them from the funds of the Conference provided for that purpose, as shown by the report of the Conference Board of Stewards.

12. No person shall be advanced in his studies in the Conference course of study who is conditioned upon more than one study.

13. The President shall provide for closing up the business of the final session of the Annual Conference that due and sufficient time shall be given for proper devotional services just preceding the reading of the appointments, that no unseemly haste or disorder at such time be manifest.

14. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to publish these rules in the Conference Journal.

15. These general and standing rules shall not be altered or suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

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- ABBETT, JAMES T.—'84, Northwest Indiana, Morocco; '86, Boswell; '88, Williamsport; '90, Oregon Conf., McMinnville; '92, Albany; '96, Eugene; '99, Ashland; '05, Central, Portland; '08, S. S. Missionary; '10, Eugene District; '16, University Park. (677 Vanderbilt St., Portland.)
- ABBOTT, GEORGE ROSCOE—'10, Puget Sound, Snoqualmie, Wash.; '12, Lebam; '15, Oregon Conf., Wilsonville; '18, Clackamas.
- ACHESON, THOMAS—'15, Oregon; Marquam, Hubbard; '17, Fargo; '18, Jason Lee Memorial. (Salem.)
- ALDRICH, HORACE NATHAN—'94, Detroit, Hemlock; '97, Mills Memorial, Port Huron; '00, Epworth, Saginaw; '03, L'Anse; '08, Crystal Falls; '11, Oregon, Central Point; '13, Cottage Grove; '16, Leslie, Salem. (348 Myers St.)
- ATKINSON, HENRY T.—'94, Oregon, Clatskanie; '95, Canby; '97, Silverton; '99, McMinnville; '03, Clark and City Missions, Portland; '06, Juneau, Alaska; '09, Ketchikan, Alaska; '11, McMinnville; '13, Supernumerary; '16, Buena Vista; '17, North Bend.
- AVISON, RICHARD NOBLE—'88, Minnesota, Farmington; '91, Owatonna; '95, Clinton Avenue, St. Paul; '97, Northfield; '00, Presiding Elder; '00, Hamline Street, St. Paul; '10, Oregon, First Salem. (Salem.)
- BELKNAP, L. FRANKLIN—'93, Oregon, Dayton; '96, Silverton; '87, Halsey; '99, Woodburn; '00, Forest Grove; '06, Hillsboro; '11, Lebanon; '12, Supernumerary; '15, Conference Evangelist; '16, Yainax; '17, Central Point.
- BENNETT, GEORGE H.—'88, Michigan; '13, Oregon, Dallas; '16, Klamath Falls; '17, Albany.
- BISHOP, ROBERT SANDERS—'09, Oregon, Merrill; '09, Boring; '10, Tualatin; '12, Gardiner; '13, Creswell; '17, Brownsville.
- BLACKWELL, R. C.—'96, Oregon, Central Point; '97, Springfield; '99, Leslie, Salem; '02, Lincoln; '03, Medford; '05, Oregon City; '10, Hillsboro; '11, Nome, Alaska; '12, Juneau, Alaska; '17, Seaside; '18, Leave of Absence.
- BRACKENBURY, A. C.—'94, Wyoming; '03, Oregon, Clackamas and Oswego; '04, North Yamhill; '05, Dallas; '07, McMinnville; '11, Leslie, Salem; '13, Brownsville; '15, Gresham; '17, Laurelwood, Portland. (4229 63rd St., S. E.)
- BRISTOL, BIRT ASBURY—'99, Oregon, Merrill; '00, Falls City; '03, Toledo; '04, Canyonville; '05, Wilbur; '07, Central Point; '09,

- Ten Mile; '10, Monroe; '11, Jefferson; '14, Clackamas; '15, Banks; '17, Viola and Clark; '18, Leave of Absence.
- BROWN, JOHN MONTCALM—'94, Northwest Indiana, Wanata; '96, LeRoy; '97, Rose Lawn; '98, Vudenburg; '01, Linden; '03, Crown Point; '06, Monticello; '09, Idaho, Buhl; '12, Oregon, Nehalem; '14, Jason Lee, Salem; '16, Dallas; '17, Gresham.
- CAIN, J. D.—'94, Mo., Chula; '97, Rothville; '99, Clarence; '01, Hale; '02, Bosworth; '05, Cody, Wyoming Mission; '06, Des Moines, Lanesboro; '07, Madrid; '08, Bagley; '11, Spearfish, S. D., Black Hills, Miss.; '11, Col. River, Harrington; '13, Miss. to Utah; '16, Pasco; '17, Oregon, Halsey.
- CALDER, ALONZO BEACOM—Meth. Ch. of Canada; '89, Upper Iowa, Oxford Jch.; '90, Morrison; '92, Union; '94, Inland; '97, Stacyville; '02, Brownville; '03, Northern Minnesota, Proctor, Duluth; '05, Mora; '06, Duluth; '08, Oregon, Bay City; '10, Pleasant Home; '12, Yamhill; '13, Trinity, Portland; '16, Clinton Kelly, Portland; '17, Clackamas; '18 Garden Home. (858 E. E. 37th St., Portland.)
- CARLOS, C. R.—'89, Illinois; '15, Oregon, Laurelwood, Portland; '17, Canby; '18, Medford.
- CHRISTENSEN, NELS A.—'17, Oregon, Lakeview; '18, Chaplain U. S. Army.
- CLEMO, F. S.—'92, Montana; '01, Oregon, Cornelius; '03, Beaverton; '04, Marquam; '05, Canby; '06, Junction City; '07, Wilbur; '08, Canyonville; '09, Wilderville; '11, Elkton; '12, Toledo; '13, Sheeds; '16, Jefferson; '18, Gardiner.
- COLEMAN, JOHN FRANKLIN—'08, North Nebraska, Niobrara; '09, Inman; '11, (discontinued at own request), Supply, Clearwater, Nebr.; '13, (readmitted, Oregon, Molalla; '15, Clackamas; '17, Marquam; '18, Lakeview.
- COOK, CLAUDE T.—'01, Col. River, Wild Rose; '02, Rathrim, Idaho; '04, Rockford; '06, West Kittatas; '08, Arlington; '09, Oregon, Rainier; '12, Laurelwood; '13, Seward, Alaska; '16, Junction City; '18, Independence.
- COOPER, HARVEY O.—'13, Col. River; '13, Puget Sound, Yacolt; '15, Ridgefield; '17, Oregon, Hubbard.
- DANFORD, SAMUEL ALEXANDER—'95, North Dakota, Kenmare; '96, LaMoure; '98, Mondan; '00, Jamestown; '04, Supt. Fargo District; '09, Bismarck; '15, Oregon, Seaside; '16, Springfield.
- DARK, CHARLES LESLIE—Methodist Protestant, Cuba, Ill.; '11, Houlton; '12, Rainier; '15, Sheridan; '18, Woodburn.
- DECKER, EDWIN GEORGE—'99, Southern Cal., Mesa, Arizona; '01, Winslow, Arizona; '02, Kingman, Arizona; '04, Williams, Arizona; '06, Globe, Arizona; '10, Bisbee, Arizona; '13, Puget Sound, Bremerton; '16, Oregon, Woodburn; '18, Corvallis.

- DEVENPORT, RUSSELL, J.—'84, Northwest Iowa, Pennington and Beloit; '86, Hartley; '87, Ireton; '88, West Nebraska; Chadron; '89, Gordon; '90, Agt. Neb. Wes. University; '91, Douglas, Wyo., Miss.; '99, Supernumerary; '00, Retired; '07, Colorado, Avondale and Olney; '10, Supernumerary; '15, Oregon, Mountain View; '16, Wilbur; '18, Monroe.
- DONEY, CARL GREGG—'93, Ohio, Bainbridge; '95, Granville; '98, St. Paul's, Delaware; '00, King Ave., Columbus; '05, Baltimore, Hamline, Washington, D. C.; '07, W. Va. Conf., Pres. W. Va. Wesleyan College; '15, Oregon, Pres. Willamette University. (Salem.)
- DOWNS, THOMAS HENRY—Meth. Ch. of Canada; '95, Wisconsin, Abrams; '97, Kingston; '99, Dartford; '90, Hickory; '90, Racine; '93, Puget Sound, Winlock; '97, Oregon, Junction City; '10, Silvertown; '11, Cornelius; '13, Canby; '15, Coquille; '17, Drain.
- DRAKE, FRANCIS GIBBONS—'98, West Wisconsin, Woodville; '99, Lucas; '01, Pepin; '02, Col. River, Tekoa; '03, Waverly; '04, Post Falls; '05, Huntsville; '05, Starbuck; '07, Oregon, Brooks; '09, Willamina; '10, Turner; '12, Coburg; '13, Harrisburg; '16, Myrtle Point.
- DREW, W. P.—'99, Des Moines; '03, Oregon, Prof. Willamette U.; '06, Prof. in Knox College, Galesburg, Ill.
- DUNLOP, JOHN F.—'93, Iowa, Little Rock; '95, Superior; '96, Stratford; '97, Moville; '98, Mt. Hope; '99, Larabee; '00, Montana, Red Lodge; '03, Big Timber; '08, Oregon, Tillamook; '10, Gresham; '11, Creswell; '13, Junction City; '14, Drain; '17, Banks and North Plains; '18, Estacada.
- DUNLAP, ROBERT ELMER—'95, Oregon, Cornelius; '96, Warrenton; '98, Tillamook; '99, Canby; '02, Dayton; '05, Klamath District; '13, Forest Grove; '18, Supt. Charts Meth. Cent.
- EBERT, JOHN H.—'12, Dakota; Janius, S. D.; '13, Bristol, S. D.; Sissiton, S. D.; '18, Oregon, Forest Grove.
- EDWARDS, CHAS. A.—Idaho; '17, Oregon, Ashland.
- ELDRIDGE, E. OLEN—'76, Baltimore; '09, Oregon, Yoncalla; '10, Roseburg; '11, Medford; '14, Mt. Tabor, Portland. (1607 East Stark St.)
- FIELDS, D. LESTER—'01, Oregon, Toledo; '02, Sheeds; '07, Yamhill; '08, Leslie, Selam; '11, Dallas; '13, McMinnville; '18, Rose City Park. (1820 Thompson St.)
- FISHER, A. N.—'62, E. Genessee; '00, Editor Pacific Christian Advocate; '04, Secretary of Japanese City Missions on Pacific Coast; '06, Librarian and Lecturer on Historic Methodism, Kimball College of Theology; '12, Sec. Systematic Beneficence. (328 10th St., Portland.)

- FLENNER, LYMAN WARNER—'16, Idaho, Wilder; '18, Oregon, Silverton.
- FORD, THOMAS B.—'68, Miss. and Ark.; '96, Oregon, Eugene Dist.; '04, Sunnyside, Portland; '08, Col. River; '12, Oregon, Oregon City; '15, Salem Dist. (414 Hubbard Bldg., Salem.)
- FRY, WILLIAM H.—'96, Meth. Ch. of Canada; '10, Oregon, Sunnyside, Portland; '14, Supt. Hawaii Mission. (Honolulu.)
- GIBERT, ERNEST E.—'95, (in school) Northwest Iowa; '98, Armstrong; '01, Ireton; '04, Cherokee; '07, Ida Grove; '11, Le Mars; '17, Oregon, Oregon City.
- GIBSON, CHAS. E.—'87, Col. River, Endicott; '88, Pullman; '89, Rockford; '92, Asotin; '94, Oaksdale; '97, Moscow District; '01, Walla Walla District; '04, St. Paul, Spokane; '07, N. Yakima; '10, Spokane Dist.; '16, Oregon, Albany; '17, Tillamook.
- GORDON, WILLIAM STEWARD—'97, Oregon, Drain; '00, Turner; '02, Leslie, Salem; '05, Gardiner; '07, Coquille; '08, Albany; '11, Woodburn; '13, Astoria; '18, Sellwood, Portland. (588 Tacoma Ave.)
- GOULD, HIRAM—'88, Oregon, Shedd; '90, Jefferson; '91, Corvallis; '95, Halsey; '96, Dallas; '99, Lebanon; '00, Newberg; '06, Forest Grove; '13, Woodburn; '14, Newberg; '16, Marshfield; 18, Montavilla. (36 East 80th Street.)
- GRAY, G. A.—'06, Central Ohio, Bowling Green; '06, Bellefontaine Ct.; '07, Oregon, Jacksonville; '09, Canyonville; '12, Marcola; '14, Sandy; '15, Beaverton.
- GREEN, JAMES S.—'95, Nebraska, Norfolk; '95, North Loop; '97, Archer; '99, Scotia; '90, Bartlett; '01, Wolbach; '03, Alda; '04, Boone; '08, Cedar Rapids; '09, California, Eagleville; '11, Oregon, Gardiner; '14, Halsey; '15, Brownsville; '17, Creswell.
- HALL, SIDNEY WM.—'14, Oregon, Bonanza; '16, Brooks; '18, Ballston. (1408 Ferry St., Salem.)
- HAMILTON, CHAS. L.—'90, Nebr.; '02, Oregon, Lebanon; '03, McMinnville; '04, Hillsboro; '06, Newberg; '08, Central, Portland; '12, Mt. Tabor, Portland; '14, University Park, Portland; '16, Montavilla, Portland; '18, Marshfield.
- HAMMOND, EVERATT STETSON—'94, New England Southern, Cochesett, Mass.; '96, Hope, R. I.; '99, Portsmouth, R. I.; '00, Supernumerary; '01, E. Blackstone, Mass.; '04, Mapleville and Glendale, R. I.; '06, Cataumet; '09, South and East Harwich, Mass.; '10, Prof. Hist. Theo. Kimball School of Theology; '13, Oregon, Prof. Hist. Theo., Kimball School of Theology. (Salem.)
- HANSON, ANDREW F.—'10, Northern Minnesota, Fisher, Hubbard and St. Helaire; '11, Donaldson; '12, Minnesota, Glenville; '15, North Montana, Redstone; '16, Whitetail; '17, Oregon, Falls City; '18, Leave to attend School.



- HEIST, AARON ALLEN—'08, Oregon, Warrenton; '10, St. Helens; '13, Rock River, Steward; '13, Clare; '14, Sheldon; '16, Oregon, Rose City Park, Portland; '18, Astoria. (527 Grand Ave.)
- HISEY, ALBERT S.—'05, North Nebraska, Pilger; '06, Milford, '07, Epworth, Lincoln; '10, Oregon, North Bend; '16, St. Helens.
- HOCKING, RICHARD—'88, N. Dakota; '97, Oregon; '09, Monroe; '10, Shedd; '13, Stayton; '14, Yoncalla; '16, Gardiner; '18, Jefferson.
- HOLLINGSHEAD, W. B.—'85, East Ohio; '97, Oregon, Astoria; '99, Eugene; '01, Centenary, Portland; '04, Portland Dist.; '11, University Park, Portland; '12, Sec. Apportionments. (150 5th Ave., New York.)
- HOWARTH, A. L.—'07, Idaho, Joseph; '10, Payette; '14, Gooding; '16, Vice President, Gooding College; '17, Board of Education; '18, Oregon, Associate Executive Secretary Centenary Commission for Portland Area.
- HOWE, HALBERT HOWARD—'13, Wisconsin, East Troy and German Settlement; '16, Shanano; '18, Oregon, Rainier.
- IRVINE, JAMES H.—'89, East Maine, Danforth; '90, Calais; '95, Clinton; '98, Dover; '02, Castine; '06, Washburn; '07, Presque Isle; '10, Thomaston; '11, Oregon, Bay City and Nehalem; '12, Jason Lee, Salem; '14, Cornelius; '15, Silverton; '16, St. Johns. (211 W. Leavitt, Portland.)
- INGALLS, W. EDWIN—'01, North Indiana, Elkhart Circuit; '01, Corunna; '03, Harlan; '06, Trenton; '06, Oregon, Lents; '09, Supernumerary; '10, Trinity, Portland; '11, Supernumerary; '13, St. Johns; '16, Jason Lee, Memorial, Salem; '17, Amity; '18, Army Y. M. C. A.
- JAMES, FRANK—'07, Mich., Doral; '09, Oregon, Linnnton; '11, Epworth, Portland; '13, Woodstock, Portland; '16, Lebanon; '18, Chaplain U. S. Army.
- JASPER, FRANKLIN, MERRILL—'08, Oregon, Mehamah and Lyons; '09, Hope Chapel; '14, Brooks; '16, Lents and Bennett Chapel; '18, Army Y. M. C. A.
- JOHNSON, CHARLES POWELL—'02, Des Moines, Jamana; '03, Modale; 1904-07, Garrett Biblical Institute; '07, Capital Park, Des Moines; '09, Monroe; '11, Pleasantville; '12, Giswold; '16, Idaho, Gooding; '17, Oregon, Dallas.
- KEAGY, FRANKLIN W.—'00, Central Indiana; '16, Oregon, Seaside; '17, Patton, Portland. (1074 Albina St.)
- KESTER, SYLVAN JAMES—'02, Colorado, Sheridan Lake; '04, Lamar Circuit; '05, Georgetown; '06, Glenwood Springs; '07, Oregon, Clinton Kelly, Portland; '09, Dayton; '13, Sheridan; '14, Gardiner; '15, Metzger; '17, Warrenton and Hammond.



- KLOSTER, WM. E.—'96, West Wisconsin, Washburn; '97, Grantsburg; '99, Greenwood; '01, Shell Lake; '06, New Richmond; '12, Colo. River, Richland; '15, Dufur; '16, Oregon, Woodlawn, Portland. (1347 E. 10th N.)
- KNOTTS, JOSEPH—'07, Oregon, Lafayette; '10, Junction City; '13, Marshfield; '16, Cottage Grove.
- LACY, ADDIS F.—'07, Oregon, North Bend; '08, Lebanon; '11, Springfield; '11, California, Auburn; '13, Dunsmore; '14, Ione; '16, Oregon, Tillamook; '17, Jason Lee Memorial, Salem; '18, Amity.
- LEECH, DAVID H.—'97, Col. River, Antelope; '99, Oregon, North Yamhill; '02, Summitt; '03, Woodburn; '07, Corvallis; '09, Grants Pass; '11, Albany; '15, Corvallis; '18, Eugene.
- LOCKHART, EDWIN BAYARD—'01, Oregon, Central Point; '03, Silverton; '04, Col. River, Garfield, Wash.; '06, Union Park, Spokane; '15, Oregon, Stayton; '17, Clinton Kelly and Lincoln, Portland; '18, Army Y. M. C. A.
- MACE, EDGAR SUTTON—'85, Wilmington, Wicomoco, Md.; '86, Selbyville, Del.; '87, St. Peters, Md.; '90, Preston, Md.; '91, Frankford, Del.; '92, Chester Bethel, Pa.; '95, Cordova, Md.; '97, Wilmington; '00, Central N. Y., Jacksonville; '01, Blossburg, Pa.; '06, Savannah, N. Y.; '07, Prof. His. and Bible, Union College, Barborville, Ky.; '09, Coquille, Ore.; '11, Oregon, Strayton; '13, Myrtle Point; '16, North Bend; '17, Metzger and Tigard.
- MACLEAN, A. R.—'87, So. Kan.; '08, Oregon, Grants Pass; '09, Woodburn; '11, Roseburg; '14, Sellwood, Portland; Central, Portland. (217 Morris St.)
- MARCY, MILTON ASA—'13, Oregon, Falls City; '15, Dayton.
- McPHERSON, C. T.—'96, M. E. Ch. So., Pendleton; '97, Genesee, Idaho; '98, Walla Walla, Wash.; '99, Oregon, Junction; '00, University Park, Portland; '02, Canby; '03, Marshfield; '05, Medford; '06, Estacada; '07, Epworth, Portland; '11, Trinity, Portland; '13, Clatskanie; '15, Supernumerary; '16, Assistant Pastor Sunnyside, Portland. (861 E. Main, Portland.)
- MICKEY, JOHN J.—'03, N. W. Kansas, Hoxie; '04, Gove; '06, Kanopolis; '11, Bennington; '12, Oregon, Marcola; '13, Bandon; '14, Turner.
- MOORE, JAMES—'98, Oregon, Myrtle Point; '01, Drain; '03, Dallas; '05, Mt. Tabor; '07, Woodburn; '09, Salem District; '15, Albany; '16, Dist. (Eugene.)
- MOORE, W. BOYD—'94, Oregon, Shedds; '99, Medford; '03, North Yamhill; '04, Clackamas and Oswego; '09, Lents; '15, Canby; '17, Coburg; '18, Junction City.

- MORRIS, CLARENCE GORDON—'95, Puget Sound, Toledo; '98, MULLIGAN, A. S.—'88, Col. River; '92, Oregon; '96, Mt. Tabor, '00, Roseburg; '02, Col. River; '13, Oregon, Sheridan; '15, Rainier; '16, Supernumerary; '18, Falls City.  
Hodlock; '03, located at own request; '18, readmitted, Oregon, Oakland.
- MYERS, R. EUGENE—'93, Oklahoma, Edmond; '96, Student, U. of Denver; '98, Stillwater; '01, Ponca; '03, Ohio, Kinsman; '05, Richmond; '08, Oregon, Seaside; '09, Laurelwood, Portland; '10, Patton, Portland; '12, Lakeview; '13, Hillsboro; '16, Newberg.
- NICHOLL, WILLIAM—'14, Oregon, Liberty; '16, Silverton; '18, Asst. Silverton.
- OLIVER, GEORGE OSCAR—'05, Oregon, Jefferson; '07, Turner; '09, Salem Circuit; '10, Lafayette; '11, Seaside; '13, Amity; '17, Klamath Falls; '18, Army Y. M. C. A.
- PARKINSON, GEORGE H.—'02, S. W. Kans., Stafford; '03, Thornton, Ill.; '06, Burns, Kans.; '08, Halstead, Kans.; '09, Braintree, Mass.; '16, Newton Center, Mass.; '16, Oregon, Eugene; '18, Chaplain U. S. Army.
- PAROUNAGIAN, MARCUS B.—'93, Vermont, South Reading; '95, Greensboro Bend; '96, Walden and South Walden; '99, Pittsfield; '02, Sheldon; '04, North Indiana, Spiceland; '06, Farmland; '07, Oregon, Estacada; '08, Gresham; '10, Brownsville; '13, Sunday School Missionary. (346 S. 23rd St., Salem.)
- PARSONS, JOHN—'77, Oregon, Port Townsend; '78, Tacoma; '79, Astoria; '82, Eugene; '83, Dayton; '85, Mt. Tabor; '89, Oregon, City; '91, Forest Grove; '92, Salem District; '98, First, Salem; '03, Supt. Alaska Missions; '13, Clinton Kelly, Portland; '15, Nome, Alaska; '18, Secretary Methodist Historical Society. (Route A, Box 518, Portland.)
- PATTON, J. J.—'04, Oregon, Viola; '07, Dayton; '09, Seaside; '11, St. Johns; '13, Fairbanks, Alaska; '16, Seward, Alaska; '18, Oak Grove and Bennett Chapel.
- POGUE, COLONEL WALTER—'06, Oregon, Bridalveil; '09, Eagleville, Cal.; '10, Ballston; '11, Nevada Mission; '12, Jonesville, Cal.; '15, Doyle, Cal.; '16, Viola; '17, Nehalem.
- POOR, LESTER CLARENCE—'97, North Indiana, Assistant Pastor, Trinity, Elkhart; '99, Atlanta; '01, South Whitley; '04, Galveston; '07, Logansport; '07, Sellwood, Portland; '08, Oregon, Sellwood, Portland; '10, Astoria; '11, Ashland; '13, University Park, Portland; '14, Woodburn; '16, Woodstock, Portland. (4319 Woodstock.)
- RARICK, CHAS. C.—'92, S. W. Kansas, Kiowa; '93, Bluff City; '94, Arkansas City Circuit; '96, Attica; '97, Colo. Conf., Akron; '02, Loveland; '05, Delta; '06, Oregon, Astoria; '10, Mt. Tabor, Portland; '12, Central, Portland; '18, Executive Secretary Board of

- Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals. (1010 Gatenbein St., Portland.)
- REES, CLARENCE B.—'10, Oregon, Beaventon; '13, Estacada; '15, (Located at own request.) '16 re-admitted, Shedd.
- RICHARDS, E. C.—'13, Oregon, Klamath Falls; '16, Secretary Education, Willamette University. (1550 State St., Salem.)
- ROLLINS, J. C.—(Cong. Ch.); '10, Oregon, Corvallis; '15, Medford; '18, Centenary, Portland. (644 E. Ankeny.)
- ROYSTON, FRED ROBERT—'14, Oklahoma, Red Rock; '15, Wichita Falls, Texas; '16, Columbia River, Grass Valley; '17, Oregon, Oswego.
- RUMMELL, HARRY WALLACE—'05, North Nebr., Clearwater; '07, Page; '09, Plainview Circuit; '09, Oregon, Bonanza; '10, Ten Mile; '12, Jacksonville; '13, Wilbur; '16, Paisley; '18, Wilderville.
- SANDIFUR, F. N.—'95, Indiana; '08, Oregon, Rainier; '09, St. Johns; '11, Independence; '14, St. Helens; '16, Trinity, Portland; '17, Leave of Absence; '18, Linnton. (405 Leavitt St., Portland.)
- SCHWARTZ, H. W.—(Japan); '07, Oregon, Sendai, Japan.
- SHERWOOD, EDWIN—'95, Ohio, Jeffersonville; '98, Kingston; '02, Thornville; '04, Summerset; '07, Prof. Willamette U.; '09, Prof. Kimball College of Theology; '13, Oregon, Prof. Kimball College Theology. (Salem.)
- SHORT, FRANCIS BURGETTE—'92, Wilmington; Harrison St., Wilmington, Del.; '97, Epworth, Wilmington, Del.; '04, Oregon, First Church, Portland; '07, Salt Lake City, Utah; '13, Columbia River, Spokane, Wash.; '18, Oregon, Wilbur, Portland. (208 West 23rd Street, Portland.)
- SKIPWORTH, WALTON—'85, Oregon, Springfield; '86, Ashland; '87, Lebanon; '89, Jacksonville; '90, Mt. Tabor, Portland; '93, Col. River, Union; '96, Dayton, Wash.; '98, Lewiston, Idaho; '01, The Dalles; '05, The Dalles Dist.; '11, Sand Point, Idaho; '12, Oregon, Newberg; '14, Grants Pass; '15, Lebanon; '16, Hillsboro.
- SMITH, ERNEST M.—'09, Oregon, Houlton; '10, Drain; '11, in school; '12, Sandy; '14, Nehalem; '16, Silverton; '18, McMinnville.
- SMITH, L. F.—'87, Nebr.; '06, Oregon, Trinity, Portland; '10, Conf. Evangelist; '11, Banks; '13, Pleasant Home and Boring; '15, Conf. Evangelist; '18, Leave of Absence. (Huntington, Ore.)
- SMITH, ROBERT ELMER—'94, New Eng., Chester; '96, Bondsville; '98, Spencer; '01, E. Main, First Church, Bangor; '03, N. E. Southern, Hazardville; '04, Cent. Ill., Galva; '08, Normal; '10, Honolulu, Hawaii; '14, Oregon, Sunnyside, Portland. (1064 E. Yamhill.)
- SNYDER, FRED W.—'13, Oregon, Lorane; '15, Monroe; '16, Molalla.
- SPENCER, JOHN CARROLL—'01, Cal., Evergreen; '01, Rock River,

- Stony Island; '01, Vincent; '04, Loomis St.; '06, Parkside, Prospect Ave. and So. Englewood; '11, Oregon, Marquam; '11 Silvertown; '13, Leslie, Salem; '16, Roseburg.
- SPIESS, HENRY (M. E. Ch., So.); '05, Oregon, Marquam; '07, Cornelius; '08, Beaverton; '10, Clackamas; '13, Supernumerary; '14, Yamhill; '15, Estacada; '18, Canby.
- STANSFIELD, JOSHUA—'87, Detroit, Wyandotte; '92, Port Huron; '97, Palmer Memorial, Detroit; '99, Bay City; '01, Meridian St., Indianapolis; '16, Oregon, First, Portland. (221 Eleventh St.)
- TUFTS, GEORGE LEWIS—'84, Cincinnati, Montgomery; '87, Springfield; '89, Cedarville; '02, Harrison; '94, Cincinnati; '97, Red Lion; '99, New Carlisle; '02, Field Sec. Anti-Saloon League of Indiana; '03, Supt. Anti-Saloon League of Oregon; '04, Oregon; '06, Field Sec. Int. Reform Bureau; '08, Sec. Methodist Fed. of Social Service; '17, Conf. Evangelist; '18, Leave of Absence.
- VAN FOSSEN, HARMON JESSE—'77, Minnesota, Heron Lake; '78, Le Sueur; '81, Richfield; '84, Monticello; '85, North Ch.; '87, Twenty-fourth St.; '89, Holston, Luttrell St., Knoxville, Tenn.; '92, Minnesota, Lake St., Minn.; '96, Monticello; '03, Holston, Highland Park, Chattanooga, Tenn.; '04, Johnson City; '05, Oregon, Drain; '06, Ashland; '11, Astoria; '13, Klamath Dist. (Ashland.)
- VAN MARTER, C. M.—'95, N. W. Iowa; '07, Oregon, Conf. Evangelist; '14, Seaside; '16, Ketchikan, Alaska.
- VAN WINKLE, J. STANLEY—'18, Oregon, Shedd.
- WARRELL, JOHN WM.—'12, Oregon, Klamath Indian Mission; '14, Ballston; '18, Fargo.
- WARREN, WM. JOSEPH—'13, Wilderville; '15, Falls City; '16, West Salem; '17, Stayton.
- WENTZELL, G. J.—'08 Oregon, Cedarville, Cal.; '09, Lakeview; '10, Supernumerary; '14, Miss. in Nevada.
- WESTERVELT, J. H.—(1) '99, Ohio; '09, Cedarville, Cal.; '17, Leave of Absence.
- WILSON, CLARENCE TRUE—'92, Wilmington; '05, Oregon, Grace, Portland; '07, Centenary, Portland; Sec. Board of Tem., Prohi. and Public Morals. (204 Penn. Ave., S. E., Washington, D. C.)
- WIRE, MELVILLE THOMAS—'02, Oregon, Brownsville; '04, Drain; '05, Patton, Portland; '08, Col. River, The Dalles; '10, Oregon, Lakeview; '12, Gresham; '15, Grants Pass.
- YARNES, THOMAS DAVID—'11, Oregon, Brooks; '14, West Salem; '16, Independence; '18, Lebanon.
- YOUNG, ROBERT CARL—'12, Oregon, Port Orford; '13, Elkton; '14, Jefferson; '16, Nehalem; '17, Oak Grove, Kendall and Westmoreland.
- YOUNGSON, WILLIAM WALLACE—'95, Pittsburg, Redstone Circuit; '97, Vandergrift; '01, Crafton; '05, Newark, Elizabeth, N.



J.; '08, Park Avenue, East Orange, N. J.; '13, Oregon, Rose City Park, Portland; '16, Portland Dist. (691 E. 62nd N., Portland.)

### SUPERNUMERARIES.

- LAWRENCE, C. H.—(6) '12, Oregon, Springfield; '18, Supernumerary.  
 RUTLEDGE, H. I.—(6) '99, Iowa; '08, Oregon, Marshfield; '13, Supernumerary.  
 WEBER, W. J.—(3) '06, S. W. Kans.; '07, Oregon, Canby; '11, Hillsboro; '12, Independence; '13, Tillamook; '14, Lakeview; '16, Supernumerary .

### UNDERGRADUATES.

#### Fourth Year—None.

#### Third Year.

- HARRISON, CHAS. B.—'15, Westmoreland; '16, Willamina; '18, Leave to attend school.

#### Second Year.

- BREWSTER, BERNARD CHESLEY—'15, Fairview; '17, Liberty; '18, Assistant, Leslie, Salem.  
 HUTCHINSON, R. A.—'15, Jacksonville; '17, Sutherlin.  
 WOODFIN, JOHN D.—'17, Pringle and Waconda; '18, E. Salem.

#### First Year.

- BATES, ALFRED—'17, Lafayette; '18, Willamina.  
 COTTON, EARL B.—'17, East Salem; '18, Pleasant Home and Troutdale.  
 DOXSEE, HAROLD M.—'15, Irving; '17, Lowell Circuit.  
 HAWTHORN, ALEXANDER—'17, Livesley.  
 KEEFER, CHAS. MURRAY—'17, Marcola.  
 MAULDEN, ROBERT W.—'16, Westmoreland, Portland; '17, In School.  
 REETZ, CARL A.—'16, Lafayette; '17, In School.  
 SPIESS, GUSTAVUS A.—'17, Boring and Sandy; '18, Assistant, Canby.  
 GATKE, ROBERT MOULTON—'17, Irving and Lyons.  
 RANTON, ERWIN G.—'17, West Salem.



## RETIRED MINISTERS

NAME	ADMITTED			P. O. ADDRESS (In State of Oregon unless otherwise designated)
	Where First	When	When Oregon	
Calder, F. H.....	Nebraska.....	1879	1888	Renton, Wash.....
Chandler, L. W. ....	Central Tennessee	1881	1913	Forest Grove.....
Cline, C. E.....	S. Illinois.....	1868	1888	709 East Salmon Street Portland
Cochran, L. G.....	Central Illinois...	1881	1900	Upland, California.....
Coslet, Alonzo.....	.....	.....	1903	Redmond .....
Dewart, S. H.....	Minnesota.....	1883	1904	Linnton .....
Fairchild, A. C.....	Oregon.....	.....	1861	435 W. 6th, LongBch., Cal
Gittins, E.....	Oregon.....	.....	1884	1490 S. Cottage, Salem
Hoberg, J.....	Oregon.....	.....	1861	McMinnville.....
Jahn, G. A.....	Pacific German.....	.....	1911	R F D 1, Milwaukee....
Jones, T. L.....	Oregon.....	.....	1877	Brownsville.....
Kerr, W. T.....	Central Illinois...	1877	1895	1210 Mississippi Ave. Portland
Lewis, C. A.....	Nebraska.....	1877	1889	Oak Grove.....
Lisle, James.....	Des Moines .....	1862	1910	1041 So. 13th St. Salem
Luther, Ed T.....	Oregon .....	.....	1911	.....
McCulloch .....	Central Illinois...	1873	1911	1135 E. Yamhill, Portland
Meminger, S. E.....	Central Penna.....	1883	1889	Roseburg .....
Moore, Jas. T.....	East Maine .....	1890	1909	Springfield .....
Myers, W. H.....	S. W. Kansas.....	1886	1892	Elkton .....
Oberg, H.....	Oregon.....	.....	1891	Fairview .....
Rees, C. M.....	N. Dakota.....	1887	1901	Gilford, Mont.....
Round, G. F.....	M. E. Ch., South	1865	1888	Newberg .....
Snyder, Samuel.....	N. W. Iowa.....	1881	1898	Hathaway, Mont.....
Stephens, D. G.....	Wyoming.....	1872	1894	Woodlawn .....
Stockwell, C. A.....	Wisconsin.....	1872	1902	Marquam.....
Stratford, J. L.....	So. Kansas.....	1880	1892	Creswell.....
Summerville, D. T..	So. Kansas.....	1876	1913	788 Amherst St., Portl'd
Sleeth, Asa.....	S. E. Indiana.....	1870	1903	1025 Michigan Av, Port'd
Wall, Oren.....	Indiana.....	1903	1911	Hillsboro, R. R. No. 2..
Watters, D. A.....	Iowa .....	1874	1890	321 E. 8th N. Portland
Wire, M. C.....	Rock River.....	1876	1884	Newberg .....

# In Memoriam

NAME	DECEASED		Com'ned Traveling	
	WHEN	WHERE	When	WHERE
N. S. McAllister..	Sep 26 1860	Albany, Oregon.....	1857	Oregon.....
T. B. Sanderson...	..... 1865		1857	Oregon.....
W. S. Lewis.....	Dec. 1 1865	The Dalles, Oregon..	1856	Ohio.....
W. B. Ellsworth...	..... 1865	La Grande, Oregon....	1856	Oregon.....
John Tindall.....	Nov. 1 1867	Umatilla, Oregon....	1866	Oregon.....
D. Leslie.....	Mar. 1 1869	.....		New England..
Wm. Royal.....	Sep. 29 1870	Salem, Oregon.....	1831	Illinois.....
J. G. Deardorf....	May 31 1872	Ft. Simcoe, Wash....	1865	Oregon.....
A. F. Waller.....	Dec. 26 1872	Salem, Oregon.....	1832	Genessee.....
G. Hines.....	August 1874	Salem, Oregon.....	1832	Genessee.....
N. Rounds.....	Jan. 2 1874	Clark Co., Wash....	1831	Oneida.....
L. T. Woodward...	..... 1876		1850	North Indiana.
S. H. Mann.....	Mar. 15 1876	Brownsville, Oregon..	1865	Oregon.....
N. A. Starr.....	Aug. 29 1881	Springfield, Oregon..	1854	Oregon.....
H. C. Jenkins.....	Jan. 7 1883	Halsey, Oregon.....	1866	Oregon.....
J. W. York.....	Feb. 19 1884	Corvallis, Oregon....	1826	Missouri.....
John Spencer.....	Jun 30 1885	McMinville, Oregon..	1828	Pittsburg.....
H. Patterson.....	Sep. 7 1886	Hillsboro, Oregon....	1867	Oregon.....
T. L. Sails.....	Feb. 26 1888	McMinville, Oregon..	1874	Oregon.....
J. T. Wolfe.....	July 24 1888	Corvallis, Oregon....	1865	Oregon.....
W. M. Roberts....	Aug. 22 1888	Dayton, Oregon.....	1834	Philadelphia...
L. M. Nickerson...	Sep. 12 1888	Crafton, California...		Oneida.....
Wm. Helm.....	Jan. 23 1890	Portland, Oregon....	1822	Kentucky.....
H. P. Satchwell...	Feb. 1 1894	Newberg, Oregon....	1859	New England..
Josiah L. Parrish..	..... 1895	Salem, Oregon.....	1855	Oregon.....
John H. Roork....	Feb. 18 1895	Salem, Oregon.....	1869	Oregon.....
Hiram P. Webb....	Aug. 23 1895	Sellwood, Oregon....	1883	Oregon.....
Albert N. McCart..	May 1896	Portland, Oregon....	1889	Idaho.....
John N. Denison..	Jan. 14 1897	Grants Pass, Oregon..	1871	Oregon.....
G. W. Quimby....	Sep. 6 1897	Viola, Oregon.....	1867	Missouri.....
C. R. Thoburn....	May 9 1899	Portland, Oregon....	1885	India.....
P. M. Starr.....	Oct. 21 1900	Brownsville, Oregon..	1856	Oregon.....
J. McIntire.....	June 3 1901	LaFayette, Oregon....	1884	Oregon.....
O. B. Streyffeler..	July 20 1901	Santa Ana, Cal.....	1893	Oregon.....
G. W. Gue.....	July 24 1901	Portland, Oregon....	1859	Illinois.....
R. T. Baldwin....	Aug. 6 1903	Pasadena, California.	1882	Kansas.....
G. W. Roork.....	June 5 1904	Lostine, Oregon.....	1855	Oregon.....
H. R. Hill.....	Sep. 16 1904	Portland, Oregon....	1903	Oregon.....
N. Doane.....	May 4 1905	Portland, Oregon....	1853	Oregon.....
R. M. Corner.....	July 27 1905	Mosca, Colorado.....	1891	Oregon.....
J. W. Miller.....	Feb. 14 1906	Portland, Oregon....	1853	Oregon.....
D. L. Spaulding...	..... 1905	Spokane, Wash....	1858	Oregon.....
C. Alderson.....	Oct. 12 1907	Albany, Oregon.....	1856	Oregon.....
I. D. Driver.....	Oct. 30 1907	Tangent, Oregon.....	1858	Oregon.....
J. M. Sweeney....	June 2 1908	Elkton, Oregon.....	1884	Oregon.....
J. R. Hammond...	Apr. 24 1908	Cataumet, Mass.....	1866	N. Y. East....
D. McLachlin....	Nov. 28 1908	Portland, Oregon....	1869	Mississippi....
J. H. B. Royal....	Jan. 6 1910	Portland, Oregon....	1854	Oregon.....
C. C. Stratton....	April 10 1910	Portland, Oregon....	1858	Oregon.....
T. F. Royal.....	Mar. 7 1911	Portland, Oregon....	1846	Rock River....
N. M. Skipworth..	July 12, 1913	Eugene, Oregon.....	1881	Col. River....
E R Horner.....	Apr. 14 1914	Portland, Oregon....	1874	Columbia River
W M Erskine.....	Feb. 24, 1914	Yamhill, Oregon.....	1890	Iowa.....
John Flinn.....	Sep. 11, 1915	Portland, Oregon....	1848	Maine.....
N. J. Harbit.....	Jan. 28, 1915	Springfield, Ore.....	1891	West Wisconsin
W. B. Pepper.....	July 15, 1915	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	Oregon.....
W. J. Gardner....	Jan. 29, 1916	Cottage Grove, Ore..	1875	N. W. Iowa...
C. M. Bryan.....	Jan. 31, 1916	Albany, Ore.....	1867	N. W. Iowa...
J. H. Skidmore...	May 2, 1916	Vancouver, Wash....	1868	Oregon.....
Nelson Clark.....	Dec. 31, 1916	Berk ey, Cal.....	1857	Oregon.....
W. S. Holcomb...	June 18, 1917	Salem, Ore.....	1886	Col. River....
Robert Booth.....	July 11, 1917	Eugene, Ore.....	1855	Oregon.....
Sanford Snyder...	July 25, 1917	Coburg, Ore.....	1872	Michigan.....
N. S. Buckner....	Apr, 18, 1918	Pacific Grove, Calif.	1866	Illinois.....
W. R. F. Brown...	Nov. 11, 1917	Portland, Oregon....	1894	North Dakota.
David Wolfe.....	Nov. 20, 1917	Portland, Oregon....	1889	Minnesota.....
Alfred A. Brittain.	Mar. 23, 1918	Roseburg, Oregon....	1908	Puget Sound...

# Journal

## FIRST DAY

### MORNING SESSION.

Wednesday, Sept. 25, 1918.

**Opening.**—The Oregon Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church opened its Sixty-sixth session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Portland, Oregon, September 25th, 1918, at 9 A. M., Bishop William Orville Shepard, D. D., LL. D., presiding.

Hymns 560, 325, and 338 were sung. Bishop Shepard spoke briefly on the significance of the Lord's Supper. L. F. Belknap read the 53rd chapter of Isaiah, Chas. A. Edwards led in prayer, W. S. Gordon read a part of the 6th chapter of John and J. T. Abbett led in prayer, after which the Bishop, assisted by the District Superintendents and Joshua Stansfield, pastor of First Church, administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

**Roll Call.**—C. C. Rarick, Secretary of the last Conference, called the roll and the following members and members on trial responded: J. T. Abbett, G. R. Abbott, Thomas Acheson, H. N. Aldrich, H. T. Atkinson, R. N. Avison, L. F. Belknap, A. C. Brackenbury, R. S. Bishop, J. M. Brown, A. B. Calder, J. F. Coleman, C. T. Cook, J. D. Cain, H. O. Cooper, C. R. Carlos, F. S. Clemo, S. A. Danford, E. G. Decker, R. J. Devenport, T. H. Downs, F. G. Drake, C. L. Dark, J. F. Dunlop, C. A. Edwards, E. O. Eldridge, T. B. Ford, D. L. Fields, C. E. Gibson, E. E. Gilbert, W. S. Gordon, H. Gould, J. S. Green, G. A. Gray, C. L. Hamilton, A. S. Hisey, A. A. Heist, A. F. Hanson, E. S. Hammond, R. Hocking, J. H. Irvine, W. E. Ingalls, C. P. Johnston, F. M. Jasper, S. J. Kester, F. W. Keagy, Joseph Knotts, E. B. Lockhart, T. W. Lane, D. H. Leech, A. R. Maclean, C. O. McCulloch, E. S. Mace, M. A. Marcy, James Moore, R. E. Myers, W. B. Moore, L. C. Poor, John Parsons, C. W. Pogue, M. B. Paroungagain, G. H. Parkinson, J. C. Rollins, C. C. Rarick, C. B. Rees, H. W. Rummell, F. R. Royston, E. M. Smith, L. F. Smith, R. E. Smith, Henry Spiess, Joshua Stansfield, Walton Skipworth, Edwin Sherwood, F. W. Snyder, J. C. Spencer, H. J. Van Fossen, C. T. Wilson, J. M. Warrell, W. J. Warren, M. T. Wire, T. D. Yarnes, W. W. Youngson,

S. W. Hall, S. D. Johnson, R. A. Hutchinson, J. S. Van Winkle, Alfred Bates, E. B. Cotton, C. M. Keefer, C. E. Cline, A. N. Fisher, T. L. Jones, W. T. Kerr, W. H. Myers, G. F. Round, D. A. Watters, M. C. Wire, D. T. Summerville.

**Organization.**—Secretary, C. C. Rarick was renominated but asked the privilege of withdrawing his name, and of nominating as his successor A. A. Heist, who was duly elected and named as his assistants, J. C. Spencer, S. W. Hall, and E. M. Smith.

Statistician, D. L. Fields was renominated, but withdrew his name and nominated T. D. Yarnes, who, upon election, named C. B. Rees, G. R. Abbott, J. S. Van Winkle, and W. J. Warren, assistants.

**Treasurer,** C. O. McCulloch was re-elected and named as his assistants, G. A. Gray, F. S. Clemo, S. J. Kester, R. J. Allen and F. W. Snyder.

**Standing Committees.**—On behalf of the Cabinet, W. W. Youngson presented the following nominations: Aggressive Evangelism, W. S. Gordon, S. A. Danford, D. L. Fields, R. A. Hutchinson; Auditing, J. H. Irvine, W. B. Moore, H. N. Aldrich, C. A. Edwards; American Bible Society, R. E. Smith, R. S. Bishop, W. L. Warren, R. J. Devenport; Books and Periodicals, C. C. Rarick, T. D. Yarnes, M. T. Wire, C. L. Dark; Children's Day, C. L. Hamilton, J. J. Mickey, J. F. Coleman, R. J. Devenport; Education, J. T. Abbett, G. H. Parkinson, R. N. Avison, C. A. Edwards; Episcopal Fund, C. O. McCulloch, R. Hocking, J. W. Warrell, J. C. Rollins; Epworth League, S. D. Johnson, Joseph Knotts, E. M. Smith, J. C. Rollins; Freedmen's Aid, E. B. Lockhart, C. T. Cook, A. F. Lacy, W. T. Kerr; Indian Missions, W. E. Kloster, J. D. Cain, A. S. Mulligan, John Parsons; Memoirs, A. R. Maclean, T. H. Downs, E. G. Decker, J. C. Spencer; Public Worship, District Superintendent and President and Secretary of the Portland Ministers' Meeting; Resolutions, E. O. Eldridge, G. H. Bennett, Walton Skipworth, C. E. Cline; Sanctity of the Sabbath, F. W. Keagy, J. S. Green, G. A. Gray, L. F. Belknap; Temperance, F. B. Short, H. Gould, C. E. Gibson, L. F. Belknap; War Work, J. Stansfield, E. Gilbert, S. A. Danford, J. C. Rollins.

**Excused from Committees.**—On motion of C. T. Cook, the assistants of the Secretary, Treasurer, and Statistician were excused from all committee work.

**Change on Commission.**—On motion of S. A. Danford, the name of C. E. Gibson was substituted for that of Nels A. Christensen on the Commission on Pooling Traveling Expenses.

**Program.**—On motion of A. R. Maclean, the printed program was made the official program of the Conference.

**Committee to Collect Permanent Fund.**—On motion of Hiram Gould, the following were elected to collect the one per cent as-



assessment for the Oregon Conference Permanent Fund: Eugene District, H. T. Atkinson; Klamath District, M. T. Wire; Portland District, J. T. Abbett; Salem District, M. A. Marcy.

**Board Representative.**—On motion of D. H. Leech, J. T. Abbett was elected Representative of the Trustees of the Conference Claimants Permanent Fund to receive all moneys paid in to the above-named committee.

**Resolution.**—On motion of F. B. Short, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That this Conference hears with deepest concern of the serious illness of the son of Bishop and Mrs. W. O. Shepard, and that we instruct the Secretary to convey to them an expression of our sincere sympathy with them in their anxiety for his recovery.

**Memorial Service.**—The Secretary called the roll of our honored dead, and the memorial service was conducted by the committee on memoirs, A. R. Maclean presiding. Hymn 604 was sung. R. N. Avison led in prayer, C. T. Wilson delivered the memorial address. The Kimball Chorus sang, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee." Appreciations of the character and service of the deceased were read as follows: N. S. Buckner, by J. T. Abbett; W. R. F. Brown, by F. M. Jasper and C. L. Hamilton; Alfred Brittain, by J. C. Spencer; David Wolfe, by D. A. Watters; and Mrs. Annie M. Hill Skidmore, by A. A. Heist. The Kimball Chorus sang, "Crossing the Bar," and Bishop Shepard closed the service with a brief address.

**Telegram to the President.**—On motion of C. E. Cline, it was ordered that the following resolution, signed by the President and Secretary of the Conference, should be forwarded to President Wilson:

"The Oregon Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church just convened in Portland, where forty thousand men are building war ships, and the drive is on for twenty million Liberty Bonds, sees nothing to be gained but much to be jeopardized at the present time by the discussion of abstract principles for peace.

"It is our plain conviction that when the German Imperial Government will say without equivocation or qualification on behalf of itself and its satraps, 'We will get out of Belgium, we will get out of France, including Alsace and Lorraine, and we will get out of Serbia, out of Roumania, out of Russia, and out of Italy, and Armenia, and make ample restitution for substance and property everywhere devastated,' then discussion of terms of peace will be in order. Until then we firmly believe we should not bandy phrases nor chop logic with diplomatic tricksters who inaugurated war for murder and loot, but fight after the manner of the last few weeks and keep on fighting as the only safe road to peace."

**Introduction.**—Joseph B. Hingeley, Secretary of the Board of



Conference Claimants, was introduced and addressed the Conference, and presented a draft from the Board for two hundred dollars.

**Resolution.**—On motion of C. T. Wilson, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That we have heard with delight, the story of the forward movement throughout the Church, to make adequate provision for the support of the Conference Claimants. We welcome the helpful and inspiring visit of Joseph B. Hingeley, and we request our Conference Claimants' Endowment Commission, after consultation with Dr. Hingeley, to present to us a plan for a similar movement in the Oregon Conference.

**Report.**—S. A. Danford reported for the Commission on Pooling Traveling Expenses that the commission was prepared to carry out the action taken by the Conference last year. On motion of F. B. Short, the report was adopted and the commission was instructed to levy a pro rata assessment.

**Changes in Board of Conference Relations.**—On motion of Hiram Gould, the names of C. L. Dark and J. T. Abbott were substituted for those of R. E. Dunlap and T. W. Lane on the Board of Conference Relations.

**Statistical Session.**—On motion of D. H. Leech, it was ordered that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet in statistical session at 1:30.

**Transfers.**—The Bishop announced the following transfers: Paul F. Green, to the Columbia River Conference; J. J. Pacey, to the Idaho Conference; J. W. Thompson, to the New England Conference; T. W. Lane, to the Columbia River Conference; into the Oregon Conference F. B. Short, from the Columbia River Conference; R. J. L. McKelvey, from the North Dakota Conference; H. H. Howe, from the Wisconsin Conference; John H. Ebert, from the Dakota Conference.

**Introductions.**—The following were introduced to the Conference: Mrs. M. S. Hughes; A. J. Joslyn, of the Puget Sound Conference; T. E. Elliott, Superintendent of Vancouver District; Puget Sound Conference, P. J. Schnert, Pacific German Conference; F. H. Leuck, Pacific German Conference; E. E. Hertzler, Pacific German Conference; C. D. Larson, District Superintendent Norwegian-Danish Conference; A. L. Howarth, associate executive secretary Centenary Commission for the Portland Area; F. L. Moore, Puget Sound Conference; J. H. Avery, Puget Sound Conference; Earl Hanna, Idaho Conference; J. B. Leedon, Nebraska Conference.

**Excused.**—On motion of Hiram Gould, members of the Board of Conference Relations were excused from all committee work.

**Excused from Conference.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, W. E. Ingalls was excused from further attendance upon the sessions of

the Conference, to permit him to report for Y. M. C. A. work overseas.

On motion of H. J. Van Fossen, Nels A. Christensen, in training for an Army Chaplaincy at Camp Taylor, was excused from attendance upon the sessions of the Conference, and the same request was granted on behalf of G. O. Oliver.

On motion of W. W. Youngson, F. M. Jasper was excused from further attendance upon the sessions of the Conference, because of his duties as a Y. M. C. A. Secretary.

**Closing.**—After the announcements, the Conference adjourned with the benediction by J. B. Hingley.

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## SECOND DAY

Thursday, September 26, 1918.

### MORNING SESSION.

**Opening.**—Conference opened with a devotional service at 8:30 A. M. Hymns No. 186 and 184 were sung. Bishop Shepard addressed the Conference on the subject "What Constitutes a Christian," and closed with prayer.

At 9:00 o'clock the Bishop took the chair.

**Minutes.**—The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

**Roll Call.**—The roll of absentees from yesterday's session was called by the Secretary, and the following responded: G. H. Bennett, R. C. Blackwell, S. H. Dewart, C. G. Doney, A. F. Lacy, C. T. McPherson, G. O. Oliver, E. C. Richards, G. L. Tufts, S. E. Meminger, J. T. Moore.

**Excused.**—On motion of C. O. McCulloch, the Treasurer and his staff were excused from attendance upon the sessions of the Conference.

**Excused.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, B. A. Bristol was excused from further attendance on the sessions of the Conference, and like action was taken in the case of M. B. Parounagian, on motion of R. N. Avison.

**Referred.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, the case of W. P. Drew was referred to the Board of Conference Relations, and that of Oren Wall to the same board, with a view to a change of relations. On motion of W. W. Youngson, similar action was taken in the case of Phillip Deschner, and on motion of H. J. Van Fossen, the cases of G. J. Wentzel, J. H. Westervelt, and W. J. Weber were likewise referred.

**Board of Conference Stewards.**—On motion of D. H. Leech, D.

L. Fields was elected to fill the unexpired term of A. A. Heist, and M. T. Wire the unexpired term of J. C. Spencer, on the Board of Stewards. Joseph Knotts, S. A. Danford and M. B. Parounagian were reelected members of the board, terms to expire 1921.

**Greetings.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, the Conference joined the Cabinet in sending greetings to our resident Bishop M. S. Hughes.

**Introductions.**—Carl Gregg Doney, President of Willamette University, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

**Question 14.**—"Was the character of each preacher examined?"

The District Superintendents of the Eugene, Klamath, Portland and Salem Districts were called, their characters passed, and they read their reports.

**Reports.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, it was ordered that pastors include in their reports the number of conversions and accessions to the church, and a statement as to whether the disciplinary requirements regarding the prorating of ministerial support, and the presentation of the benevolences had been carried out.

**Question 14 Resumed.**—"Was the character of each preacher examined?"

The list of effective elders, and those in charge was called by districts and their characters passed. Those present reported.

**Special Cases.**—On motion of their respective District Superintendents, H. M. Doxsee and C. B. Harrison were left without appointment to attend school. The request of D. W. Moore that he be permitted to locate was referred to the Board of Conference Relations. J. J. Mickey and A. B. Calder were granted leave of absence for one year. The case of A. S. Mulligan was referred to the Board of Conference Relations, with a view to his being made effective, and the case of S. H. Dewart to the same board with a view to granting his request for a retired relation.

**Extension of Time.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, the time was extended.

**Introduction.**—R. H. Hughes, Editor of the Pacific Christian Advocate, was introduced, and presented a draft from the Book Concern of \$1600. On motion of T. B. Ford, the draft was ordered paid to the Treasurer of the Board of Conference Stewards.

**Special Committees.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, R. H. Hughes, Joshua Stansfield and A. R. Maclean were appointed to make arrangements for a suitable recognition of the eightieth birthday of A. N. Fisher.

Joshua Stansfield announced that Joseph Hoberg had met with a serious accident while enroute to the Conference, and on motion of T. B. Ford, his pastor, D. L. Fields, was requested to convey to him the sympathy of the Conference.

**Methodist Review.**—On motion of A. A. Heist, R. A. Hutchinson was appointed to solicit subscriptions for the Methodist Review.

**Closing.**—The announcements were made and T. L. Jones pronounced the benediction.

## THIRD DAY

### MORNING SESSION.

Friday, September 27, 1918.

Conference opened at 8:30 A. M., with a devotional service. Hymns No. 551 and 463 were sung, after which W. W. Youngson announced the death of Bishop Shepard's son, and called upon Walton Skipworth to lead in prayer.

At 9 o'clock, the Bishop took the chair.

**Minutes.** The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

**Question 14 Resumed.** "Was the character of each preacher examined?" The names of those on detached service were called, and their characters passed.

**Referred.** On motion of W. W. Youngson, the case of G. L. Tufts was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations, with a view to his being placed on the supernumerary list.

**Election.** On motion of W. W. Youngson, John J. Parsons was elected Secretary of the Oregon Conference Historical Society.

**Leave of Absence.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, L. F. Smith was granted leave of absence for one year.

**Transferred.**—The Bishop announced the transfer of Phillipp Deschner to the Gulf Conference.

**Question 24.**—"Who are the retired ministers?" The list of the retired ministers was called and their characters passed. The following were present and addressed the Conference: T. L. Jones, W. T. Kerr, S. E. Meminger, James T. Moore, W. H. Myers, G. F. Rounds, D. T. Summerville, D. A. Watters, and M. C. Wire.

**Report.**—Hiram Gould reported for the Committee on Conference Relations, recommending, that the request of S. H. Dewart for the retired relation be granted. On motion of W. W. Youngson, the report was accepted. A like recommendation was made in the case of Oren Wall, and on motion of T. B. Ford, the report was accepted.

**Question 23.**—"Who are the supernumerary preachers?" The name of C. H. Lawrence was called, and on motion of A. F. Lacy, the recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations, that a special committee be raised to consider his case, in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph 263, of the Discipline, was ac-



cepted. On motion of T. B. Ford, the following were elected as this special committee: Hiram Gould, W. S. Gordon, R. E. Smith, A. R. Maclean, J. S. Green. On recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations, and on motion of their respective District Superintendents, A. S. Mulligan was changed from supernumerary to effective; H. I. Rutledge was continued in the supernumerary relation for the sixth year; W. J. Weber was likewise continued, and the cases of W. P. Drew, G. J. Wentzell and H. J. Westervelt were referred to the special committee raised in the case of C. H. Lawrence.

**Excused.**—At the request of Hiram Gould, the Committee on Conference Relations was permitted to retire.

**Question 3.**—"Who have been readmitted?" On recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations, and on motion of H. J. Van Fossen, Clarence G. Morris, who had been located at his own request, in Puget Sound Conference, in 1903, was readmitted.

**Question 17.**—"Who have been located at their own request?" On recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations, and on motion of James Moore, the request of Daniel Webster Moore was granted.

**Question 19.**—"Who have withdrawn?" On motion of T. B. Ford, Chesley E. Curtis was allowed to withdraw from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church. His District Superintendent was requested to secure the return of his parchments.

**Question 11.**—"What members have completed the Conference Course of Study?" S. W. Hall, S. D. Johnson, E. T. Luther, and William Nicholl, being favorably represented by the Registrar, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were graduated from the course of study, and elected to elders orders.

**Question 9.**—"What members are in studies of the third year?"

(a) Admitted into full membership this year: On recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations, and on motion of James, Moore, J. Stanley Van Winkle was advanced to studies of the third year, and recommended for admission into full membership.

(b) Admitted to full membership previously: On motion of T. B. Ford, C. B. Harrison was continued in studies of the third year, and left without appointment to attend school.

**Question 6.**—"Who have been continued on trial?"

(a) In studies of the first year: Alfred Bates, E. B. Cotton, Alexander Hawthorne, C. M. Keefer, and G. A. Spiess, were, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, continued on trial in studies of the first year.

(b) In studies of the second year: John D. Woodfin, being favorably represented by the registrar, and on motion of T. B. Ford, was continued on trial, and advanced to studies of the second year.



**Question 5.**—"Who have been received on trial?" Erwin G. Ranton, Robert M. Gatke, being recommended by their respective Quarterly Conferences, favorably represented by the Registrar and Committee on Conference Relations, were, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, received on trial and placed in studies of the first year.

**Continued Effective.**—The Committee on Conference Relations recommended that G. L. Tufts be continued in the effective relation, and on motion of Joshua Stansfield, it was so ordered.

**Excused.**—On motion of James Moore, J. D. Cain was excused from further attendance on the sessions of the Conference.

**Leave of Absence.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, G. L. Tufts and R. C. Blackwell were each given a year's leave of absence.

**Question 1.**—Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirement of the Discipline? Yes.

**Resolution.**—Joseph Knotts, for the Board of Conference Stewards, presented the following resolution, which on his motion was adopted.

Be it resolved: That all moneys coming into the hands of the Conference Treasurer for distribution by the Conference Board of Stewards be turned over immediately to the Treasurer of the Board of Stewards.

Be it further resolved: That beginning with the Annual Conference of 1919, the beneficiaries of said fund be paid quarterly instead of annually as heretofore.

**Question 36.**—"Where shall the next Conference session be held?" Invitations having been received through their respective pastors, from First Church, Portland, Sunnyside, Portland, and First Church, Salem, a rising vote, showed a majority in favor of First Church, Salem, and, on motion of Joshua Stansfield, acceptance was made unanimous.

**Memorial on Conference Course of Study.**—The following memorial was introduced by C. T. Wilson, and on his motion was adopted:

"Whereas, our Board of Bishops has for one hundred and thirty-two years maintained a doctrinal unity in American Methodism by means of certain courses of study and a series of examinations at annual, district and quarterly conferences, thus preparing our ministers, local preachers, class leaders, exhorters and deaconesses to know and teach our doctrines, and

"Whereas, Our Bishops administered this trust satisfactorily to the Church for four generations, and still have responsibilities for the entire denomination; they have the widest observation as to our needs; they are the selected men from every part of the Church, with educational equipment and records of success that qualify them to pass upon just such matters as doctrinal standards and proper text books for ministerial study.

"Whereas, The experiment adopted by the last General Conference of taking the direction of the Course of Study out of the hands of the Bishops and appointing a special Commission has resulted in the formulation of a library of 60 volumes, with no history of American Methodism, no book of guidance in the administration of the Discipline, no adequate setting forth of the doctrinal standards of Methodism; no book on the interpretation of the scriptures, no volumes indoctrinating our ministers on the controverted topics of the day, such as Adventism, Seventh Day contentions, Christian Science, and other claims; a course which over-emphasizes sociology by prescribing eight volumes, and pedagogy with five, so one-sided in its leanings toward German rationalism and destructive criticism, that it has no room for a work on the doctrinal standards of Methodism, for the sermons of John Wesley, for any volumes by Miley, Terry, Curtis, for Camden M. Coburn's matchless, 'Archeology of the New Testament,' and no word from any of the world's conservative scholars, such as James Orr, James Stalker, Cannon Farrar, James Denney, Principal Garvie, Marcus Dodds, A. B. Bruce or Wm. Henry Green, Henry M. Harmon, Wm. A. Warren, or Robert W. Rogers on this side of the water.

"Whereas, The radicalisms of this departure has neither given us a better course nor promoted the harmony of the Church,

Therefore, resolved, This Conference memorialize the General Conference of 1920 to re-commit the whole matter of selecting the course of study for preachers, local preachers, class leaders, deaconesses to our Board of Bishops who have made our Course of Study, the greatest School of the Prophets the world ever saw, and we suggest that our Episcopal Board shall select five or seven of their own number as a commission, one of whom shall be the Dean of our Church Courses of Study, and shall exercise a complete supervision over the instructions and examinations.

"Resolved, That this memorial be sent to our Board of Bishops and to the Secretaries of the remaining Fall Conferences."

**Indian Work.**—Walton Skipworth presented the following resolution which on his motion, was adopted:

Whereas, paganism, in the history of the world, has nothing to show for the moral advancement of mankind; and

Whereas, without moral enlightenment no nation has yet been able to attain and maintain a position of commanding strength and influence; and

Whereas, the teaching and example of Him who said: "I am the light of the world," have given to men their clearest and strongest light and therefore wrought for their highest good and greatest achievements; and

Whereas, the United States as a nation and government in recognition of the Christian religion is founded upon the principles

of justice, mercy and love to all men and that the greatness of this Republic is recognized today by the nations of the earth because of its adherence to these principles; and

Whereas, the flag of the United States is pledged to the protection and welfare of all under its colors and folds;

Therefore, be it resolved, That we of the Oregon Conference, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, now in session, have learned with pain and fellings of righteous resentment, of moral conditions which prevail among the Indians of the Klamath Reservation, as brought to our attention in the official report of the Rev. H. J. Van Fossen; and further, that we are amazed that said conditions of immorality and heathenism come within the direct notice of government officials having authority on said Indian Reservation, that these officials, if they do not positively foster and promote the immoral state of affairs, concur, wink at and pass them by without attempt to better the Indians' moral condition; and

Be is further resolved, That we hereby register our protest against the pagan practices, immorality and laxness of law enforcement in cases of crime, as stated in Dr. Van Fossen's report, and call upon the department at Washington to take speedy measures to right these wrongs.

**Laymen.**—The chair appointed A. R. Maclean to convey the greetings of the Conference to the Laymen's Association and to invite that body to meet with us in joint session.

**Addition to Committee.**—On motion of J. T. Abbett, Walton Skipworth was added to the Committee on Education.

**Question 25.**—"What are the triers of appeals?" On motion of T. B. Ford, the following were elected: R. E. Smith, R. N. Avison, Walton Skipworth, S. A. Danford; reserves, Joseph Knotts, J. S. Greene.

**Anniversary.**—Joshua Stansfield offered the following resolution, in recognition of the eightieth birthday of A. N. Fisher:

"Today being the eightieth birthday anniversary of Brother A. N. Fisher, one of the most beloved members of our body, we would, as a Conference, express our gratitude to God for his long and valued service in the Church of Jesus Christ, for his superbly Christian spirit and manner of life, and rejoice with him and his dear ones in the golden evening of a noble, full, Christian life and service."

The Bishop invited Dr. Fisher to the platform, and F. B. Short, in a few well chosen words, paid tribute to his life and character, after which R. H. Hughes, editor of the Pacific Christian Advocate, presented a bouquet of roses to his distinguished predecessor.

**Historical Society.**—John Parsons made a partial report of the work of the Historical Society, and requested that the name be known as, "The Oregon Methodist Historical Society." He nominated as members, C. E. Cline, E. S. Hammond, M. C. Wire, L. F. Belk-

nap, C. B. Moores, Walton Skipworth, John Parsons and J. K. Gill.

**Introduction.**—J. W. Day, President of the Laymen's Association, being introduced, brought the greetings of the Association, after which he introduced A. F. Flegel, who addressed the Conference on the subject of the "Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund."

**Response.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, the Bishop replied to the greetings from the Laymen's Association.

**Introductions.**—C. A. Bowen, Executive Secretary of the Centenary Commission for the Portland Area, was introduced, and asked for the appointment of a committee of four, one from each district to prepare resolutions, and nominate the members of the Conference Council, according to the general plan of the Commission. On motion of T. B. Ford, D. H. Leech, J. C. Spencer, A. R. Maclean, and R. N. Avison were appointed.

A. L. Howarth, Associate Executive Secretary of the Centenary Commission for the Portland Area, was introduced.

**Adjournment.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, it was ordered that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet at 2 P. M.

**Confirmation.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, the judgment of the informal council of yesterday afternoon that Bishop Shepard should leave at the earliest possible moment to attend the funeral of his son was confirmed.

**Introductions.**—The following were introduced to the Conference: M. Nelson, District Superintendent of the Norwegian-Danish Conference; W. H. H. Forsythe, J. W. Rigby and B. J. Hoadly, of the Columbia River Conference; Geo. B. Dean, Department of Evangelism, Board of Home Missionary and Church Extension; Major R. R. Hamilton, U. S. Army Medical Corps, and C. D. Rarey, of Puget Sound Conference.

**Report.**—R. E. Smith presented the report of the Conference Deaconess Board of Nine. On his motion the report was adopted and officers therein nominated were declared elected.

**Introduction.**—Miss Nellie Curtiss, Superintendent of the Deaconess Home, was introduced.

**Historical Society.**—On motion of R. N. Avison, the Historical Society was requested to make investigations and to report to this Conference some plan whereby real estate on or near the site of the old Jason Lee Mission be secured for the erection thereon of a suitable memorial to the pioneer Methodists.

**Closing.**—The announcements were made, and the benediction was pronounced by A. N. Fisher.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 2 P. M. the Centenary Round Table was opened, with C. A. Bowen, Executive Secretary of the Portland Area, in charge.

After the singing of No. 408 and a season of prayer the chair-



man outlined the Centenary organization for the local churches. J. C. Spencer, on behalf of the special committee, presented the following report, and resolutions which were adopted:

Whereas, The World War summons the Church to unusual devotion and activity in preparation for the days of reconstruction following the coming of peace, in order to make the world safe for democracy that democracy can be safe for the world; and,

Whereas, The General Conference directed that the years 1918 and 1919 be set aside for the observance of the celebration of the Centenary of the founding of our missionary work; and,

Whereas, the Centenary is thus providentially timed to coincide with the great World War; and,

Whereas, under the order of the General Conference, a World Program has been adopted which provides for placing our work at home and abroad upon a basis of higher efficiency in order that the Methodist Episcopal Church may do its full share in bringing in the Kingdom of Jesus Christ, therefore be it

Resolved, first, That this Annual Conference strongly endorses the Centenary Movement and pledges its full co-operation.

Second, That a Conference Centenary Council be and hereby is created, this Council to consist of the District Superintendents, and one pastor, and one or more laymen from each district.

Third, That the District Superintendent be requested to take immediate steps to organize the District, Sub-district and Local Church Councils, in accordance with the action of the District Superintendents at the Columbus meeting.

Fourth, That the Centenary Allotments, as handed down to the Districts, be at once heartily accepted by the Districts, and if possible, that they be over-subscribed.

Fifth, That all necessary arrangements be made by District Superintendents, pastors and the laity of the Church for the intensive period of ten days with which the campaign is to culminate, and that a day be designated by the National Campaign Committee and set aside in all our churches, this day to be known as World Program Sunday. We, therefore, recommend that on this day our pastors and people everywhere give themselves to prayer and to earnest consideration of the facts involved in building the World Program of American Methodism.

Sixth, We especially commend the plans being made by the Joint Centenary Committee for deepening the spiritual life of the Church and for enrolling its members in Christian Stewardship, and we join in the prayer that this great Centenary Movement may result in an evangelistic awakening throughout the world.

Seventh, We as pastors pledge ourselves to do our utmost to have our churches fully organized on the Centenary basis within



thirty days after we return from Conference, or as soon thereafter as possible.

R. N. AVISON, Chairman,  
J. C. SPENCER, Secretary.

A. L. Howarth, Associate Executive Secretary, discussed the function of the New York and local area offices. Geo. B. Dean, of the Department of Evangelism, of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, spoke on the relation of the Centenary and Evangelism. Hymn No. 408, was sung. Mark Freeman, of the Centenary Team, spoke on "The Centenary and the Sunday Schools."

At 4 P. M., the Bishop took the chair.

**Leave of Absence.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, B. A. Bristol was granted a leave of absence for one year.

**Question 31.**—"What are the claims on the Conference Funds?"

The Conference Board of Stewards reported as follows:

For annuity distribution, 1071 years, multiplied by the Disciplinary rate of \$14 per year, \$14,994. For necessitous distribution, \$334; total, \$15,328.

**Question 32.** (a) "What has been received on these claims?"

The Conference Board of Stewards reported as follows:

From the Book Concern.....	\$1,632
From Annual Conference Investments.....	1,000
From Chartered Fund.....	
From Pastoral Charges .....	4,343
From Refund from Conference Treasurer.....	200
From Board of Conference Claimants.....	200
From Sunday's Collection .....	456

Total .....\$7,831

(b) "How has it been applied?"

Annuity, \$7,497. Special, \$334.

**Committee of Five Report.**—Hiram Gould reported for the special committee, as follows:

"We, your Committee of Five, appointed by the Oregon Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, September 27, 1918, to whom was referred the cases of C. H. Lawrence, J. H. Westervelt, G. J. Wentzel and W. P. Drew, recommend as follows:

1. That they be requested to locate at the next session of the Annual Conference, and if they do not locate, that the Conference locate them without their consent according to paragraph 263 of the Discipline of 1916; and,

2. That the Secretary of the Conference is hereby instructed to notify said parties by registered letter of the action of this Conference.

HIRAM GOULD, ROBERT ELMER SMITH, W. S. GORDON,  
J. S. GREEN."

A. R. MACLEAN,

On motion of J. T. Abbett, the report was adopted.

**Motion.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, the Statistician was requested to read his report by Conference totals.

**Statistical Report.**—T. D. Yarnes, Statistician, read the Statistical Report, and moved its adoption. The report was adopted.

**Question 33.**—"What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the Conference to be raised for the support of Conference Claimants?"

On motion of C. T. Wilson, it was ordered that the amount be equal to the sum of three per cent of all cash salaries of three hundred or less, and of six per cent of all cash salaries of more than three hundred dollars.

**Permanent Fund.**—J. T. Abbett moved that the members of the Conference pay to the Treasurer of the Trustees of the Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund, one per cent of their cash salary, including missionary money.

T. B. Ford moved to amend, by striking out the words "including missionary money." The amendment prevailed, and the motion as amended was carried.

**Leave.**—On motion of James Moore, A. F. Hansen was left without appointment to attend school.

**Consecration of Deaconess.**—The Secretary called the name of Margaret S. Davies, and W. W. Youngson, President of the Conference Board of Nine, presented her to the Bishop for consecration. After answering satisfactorily the Disciplinary questions, she was duly consecrated a deaconess in the Methodist Episcopal Church.

**Admitted Into Full Membership.**—J. Stanley Van Winkle was called, and being asked, and satisfactorily answering the disciplinary questions, was admitted into full membership.

**Ordination.**—The Secretary presented to the Bishop Sidney W. Hall, Edward T. Luther, William Nicholl and S. Darlow Johnson, who upon making satisfactory replies to the disciplinary questions were ordained elders.

The Bishop presented the following

#### CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION.

This certifies that on Friday, September 27, 1918, assisted by several elders, I ordained Sidney W. Hall, Edward T. Luther, William Nicholl, and S. Darlow Johnson, as elders of the Church of God.

Done under the authorization of the Oregon Annual Conference and in accordance with the Discipline and Ritual of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

W. O. Shepard, Bishop.

**Adjournment.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, it was ordered that

when we adjourn we adjourn to meet at 8 o'clock, Saturday morning.

**Report.**—C. E. Cline reported for the Committee on Resolutions, and on his motion the report was adopted.

**Introduction.**—O. C. Bortzmyer, of the Local Committee on Entertainment, was presented.

**Minute Fund.**—On motion of A. A. Heist, it was ordered that members of the Conference pay to the Secretary an amount equal to forty cents for each one hundred dollars cash salary received during the past year.

**Annuity.**—On motion of Joseph Knotts, the Board of Stewards was authorized to transfer a sufficient amount from money received from the pastoral charges to the Annuity Fund to make the amount of the annuity for this year \$7.00 per year of active service.

**Motion.**—On motion of C. E. Gibson, J. C. Rollins was elected Treasurer of the Committee on Pooling Traveling Expenses.

**Editing Reports and Publishing Journal.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, the Secretary was authorized to edit all reports, and to publish the Journal.

**Minutes Official.**—On motion of Hiram Gould, the printed Minutes were made the official Journal of the Conference.

**Closing.**—The benediction was pronounced by the Bishop.

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## FOURTH DAY

### MORNING SESSION.

Saturday, September 28, 1918.

**Opening.**—The Conference joined in singing, "O To Grace How Great a Debtor," the Bishop spoke briefly, and S. A. Danford led in prayer. The Bishop took the chair at 8 A. M.

**Minutes.**—The minutes of the Friday afternoon session were read and approved.

**Suspension of Rules.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, the rules were suspended, and on motion of W. W. Youngson, C. O. McCulloch was granted a retired relation at his own request.

**Transfers.**—The Bishop announced the transfer of A. L. Howarth from the Idaho Conference, Simpson Hamrick, from the Oklahoma Conference, and L. W. Flenner from the Idaho Conference.

**Vote of Thanks.**—On motion of S. A. Danford, the Secretary was instructed to convey to Mrs. M. S. Hughes an expression of appreciation for her kindness in arranging for a reception to the Conference, and for her thoughtful graciousness in canceling arrange-

ments in deference to the bereavement of our presiding Bishop and the consequent pressure of Conference business.

**Appointments.**—After brief remarks, the Bishop read the appointments, T. B. Ford led in prayer, the Conference rose and sang the closing stanza of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," and the Bishop bade farewell, leaving at once for Chicago, to attend the funeral of his son.

**Chairman.**—By previous request of the Bishop, R. N. Avison took the chair.

**Greetings.**—On motion of C. E. Cline, a committee was raised to convey the greetings of the Conference to the African Zion Methodist Episcopal Conference, in session in the city. The chair appointed W. T. Kerr, W. H. Myers, and C. E. Cline.

**Report.**—J. T. Abbett read the annual report of M. B. Parounagian, Sunday School Missionary, and on his request, the Board of Sunday Schools and the District captains for teacher training were temporarily excused for the purpose of organizing.

**Greetings.**—On motion of J. T. Abbett, the Secretary was instructed to convey to M. B. Parounagian an assurance of the sympathy of the Conference, and of our prayers for his speedy recovery.

**Reports.**—F. B. Short reported for the committee on Temperance and on his motion, after an address by C. T. Wilson, the report was adopted.

M. T. Wire read the report of the Committee on Books and Periodicals, and on his motion it was adopted.

**Board of Sunday Schools.**—J. T. Abbett reported that the Board of Sunday School had re-elected the same members and officers, and had added the name of J. Earl Else to the Board, and appointed L. C. Poor, R. E. Myers, J. D. Cain, and M. T. Wire captains of the teacher training drive for their respective districts.

**Report.**—F. W. Keagy read the report of the Committee on the Sanctity of the Sabbath, and on his motion it was adopted.

**Board of Stewards.**—On the request of the Board of Stewards, and on motion of R. E. Myers, the Board was permitted to include the Sunday morning offering in their total receipts, and to mail the checks to the claimants after the close of Conference session.

**Commission on Pooling Traveling Expenses.**—S. A. Danford reported the pooling rate for traveling expenses as being \$2.35, and on his motion a similar commission was raised for next year. The chair appointed S. A. Danford, C. E. Gibson, E. E. Gilbert and J. C. Rollins.

**Floral Offering.**—On motion of Walton Skipworth, an offering was taken for the purpose of purchasing a floral piece as a token of our sympathy for Bishop and Mrs. Shepard in the loss of their son, Mark. R. H. Hughes was instructed to wire the Methodist



Book Concern, Chicago, to act as our agent in the purchase of a suitable tribute.

**Introductions.**—L. W. Flenner, transferred from the Idaho Conference, L. B. Jones, supply pastor at Lents, John Oval, of Northwest Swedish Conference, A. McClintock, of the Northwest Iowa Conference were introduced.

**Reports.**—The following committee reports were read, and on motion of those presenting them, were adopted: American Bible Society, by R. S. Bishop; Evangelism, by W. S. Gordon; Children's Day, by J. F. Coleman; Post Graduate Study, by Edwin Sherwood.

E. M. Smith read the report of the Committee on Epworth League, and of the Registrar of the Epworth League Institute. On his motion, the report was adopted, and the elections by the student body of members of the Board of Control were confirmed.

C. A. Edwards read the report of the Committee on Education. H. J. Talbot, President of the Kimball School of Theology, was introduced and addressed the Conference; and on motion of E. O. Eldridge, the report was adopted and the Secretary was instructed to cast the vote of the Conference for the nominations contained therein. The ballot was duly cast.

**Introductions.**—J. L. McLaughlin, agent for the American Bible Society, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

**Askings.**—On motion of W. W. Youngson, the askings from the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, approved by the Bishop and Cabinet, were made the authorized askings of the Conference.

**Adjournment.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, it was ordered that the time of final adjournment of the Conference be at the close of the Sunday evening session.

**Railroad Secretary.**—On motion of R. E. Myers, W. B. Moore was elected Railroad Secretary for next year.

**Boards and Committees.**—W. W. Youngson presented the nominations of the Cabinet for Boards and Standing Committees, and on his motion they were elected.

**Closing.**—After announcements, the Conference joined in singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," and John Parsons pronounced the benediction.

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## FIFTH DAY

### SUNDAY SERVICES.

September 29, 1918.

All Methodist Churches of Portland joined the Conference in a great union service in the Portland Municipal Auditorium.



The annual Conference Love Feast was in charge of Walton Skipworth, pastor at Hillsboro.

The regular morning service at 10:30 was in charge of W. W. Youngson, District Superintendent. The vested choirs of Rose City Park and Sunnyside Churches and the Kimball Chorus sang. R. N. Avison, First Church, Salem, led in prayer, H. J. Van Fossen, Superintendent of the Klamath Falls District, read the Scripture lesson, D. H. Leech represented the Conference Claimants' Fund and secured a cash offering of \$456. J. J. Kingham, Missionary in China, and Geo. B. Dean, Department of Evangelism of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, addressed the congregation on behalf of the Centenary. Benediction.

### EVENING SESSION.

Sunday, September 29, 1918.

At the close of the Temperance Anniversary, R. N. Avison, Chairman, called the Conference to order.

**Minutes.**—The minutes of yesterday morning's session were read and approved.

**Telegram.**—W. W. Youngson read the following telegram of greeting from our resident Bishop, M. S. Hughes, and on his motion the Conference ordered that it become a matter of record:

"Estherville, Iowa, Sept. 27, 1918.

"W. W. Youngson,

Methodist Episcopal Conference, Portland, Oregon.

Please convey cordial greetings and best wishes to Bishop Shepard, District Superintendents and all the brethren of the Oregon Conference. Thanks for their thought of me while at work in the Middle West. I hope you are having the best session in the long and splendid history of the Conference.

MATT. S. HUGHES."

**Report.**—C. E. Cline reported that the committee bearing greetings to the African Zion Methodist Episcopal Conference in session in Portland had been most graciously received.

**Treasurer's Report.**—T. B. Ford moved that the Treasurer's report be accepted without reading and that after verification with the Statistician's report it be filed with the Secretary for publication. The motion prevailed.

**Return of Vouchers.**—On motion of Joshua Stansfield the Treasurer was instructed to return pastor's vouchers at the earliest possible moment, or as soon as requested.

**Treasurer's Extra Funds.**—On motion of D. H. Leech, all special moneys in the hands of the Treasurer were ordered turned over to the Conference Board of Stewards for distribution this year.

**Delinquencies.**—On motion of Joshua Stansfield, the District Superintendents were instructed to take up with their pastors any delinquencies in their apportionments to the Conference Claimants' Fund and to order any such delinquencies for the past year paid to the Treasurer of the Permanent Fund.

**Steward's Report.**—Joseph Knotts read the report of the Conference Board of Stewards, and on his motion it was adopted.

**Minutes Approved.**—On motion of T. B. Ford, the minutes of the evening session were approved without reading.

**Final Adjournment.**—On motion of C. O. McCulloch, it was ordered that after prayer the sixty-sixth session of the Oregon Conference stand adjourned sine die.

Joshua Stansfield offered the closing prayer.

This certifies that the foregoing is a correct report of the proceedings of the Sixty-sixth Session of the Oregon Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

W. O. SHEPARD,  
President.

A. A. HEIST, Secretary.

## Appointments

The numeral following the name indicates the year of service on that charge. Districts and charges are alphabetically arranged. Where different from name of charge, postoffice of pastor is given in brackets; also street and number where necessary. (See Conference Directory.) Name of state Oregon unless otherwise indicated. Name marked with \*Undergraduates; \*\*Supplies.

### EUGENE DISTRICT.

James Moore (3), District Superintendent, Eugene, Oregon.

Albany .....	George H. Bennett	2
Bandon and Port Orford.....	To be supplied	
Brownsville .....	R. S. Bishop	2
Buena Vista .....	Supplied by C. T. Cook	1
Coburg .....	**W. H. Myers	1
Coquille .....	**James E. Conder	1
Corvallis .....	E. G. Decker	1
Cottage Grove .....	Joseph Knotts	3
Creswell .....	J. S. Green	2
Drain .....	T. H. Downs	2
Elkton .....	**J. L. Stratford	1
Eugene .....	D. H. Leech	1
Eugene Circuit .....	To be supplied	
Gardiner .....	F. S. Clemo	1
Halsey .....	J. D. Cain	3
Harrisburg .....	C. B. Rees	1
Independence .....	C. T. Cook	1
Irving .....	*R. M. Gatke	2
Jefferson .....	Richard Hocking	1
Junction City .....	W. B. Moore	1
Lebanon .....	T. D. Yarnes	1
Lorane .....	To be supplied	
Lowell .....	**A. G. Child	1
Lyons .....	*R. M. Gatke	2
Marcola .....	*Charles M. Keefer	1
Marshfield .....	C. L. Hamilton	1
Monroe .....	R. J. Devenport	1
Myrtle Point .....	F. G. Drake	3
North Bend .....	H. T. Atkinson	2
Shedd .....	J. Stanley Van Winkle	1

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Siletz Indian Mission.....	**Walter Ross	2
Springfield .....	S. A. Danford	3
Toledo .....	**Walter Ross	1
Turner.....	Supplied by Richard Hocking	1

### KLAMATH DISTRICT.

H. J. Van Fossen (6), District Superintendent, Ashland, Oregon.

Ashland .....	Charles A. Edwards	2
Bonanza .....	To be supplied	
Canyonville .....	**C. C. Coop	4
Central Point.....	L. F. Belknap	2
Gold Hill.....	Supplied by L. F. Belknap	1
Grants Pass.....	M. T. Wire	4
Klamath Falls.....	Simpson Hamrick	1
Klamath Indian Mission.....	To be supplied	
Lakeview .....	J. F. Coleman	1
Medford .....	C. R. Carlos	1
Oakland .....	C. G. Morris	1
Paisley.....	To be supplied	
Pine Creek .....	To be supplied	
Roseburg .....	J. C. Spencer	3
Roseburg Circuit .....	To be supplied	
Sutherlin.....	*R. A. Hutchinson	2
Talent .....	To be supplied	
Wilbur .....	**A. McClintock	1
Wilderville .....	H. W. Rummell	1
Yainax (Beatty) .....	**A. S. Hotchkin	1
Yoncalla .....	*R. A. Hutchinson	1

### PORTLAND DISTRICT.

W. W. Youngson (3), District Superintendent, 691 E. 61st N.,  
Portland, Oregon.

Astoria (527 Grand Ave.).....	A. A. Heist	1
Clatskanie and Mayger.....	S. D. Johnson	5
Garden Home.....	A. B. Calder	1
Knappa and Svensen.....	Supplied by R. J. L. McKelvey	
Portland:		
Centenary (644 E. Ankeny).....	J. C. Rollins	1
Central (217 Morris St.).....	A. R. Maclean	1
Clinton Kelly (Route A, Box 518).....	John Parsons	1
Epworth (887 Savier St.).....	To be supplied	
First Church (221 11th St.).....	Joshua Stansfield	3
Laurelwood (4229 63rd St. S. E.).....	A. C. Brackenbury	2
Lents .....	**L. B. Jones	1

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Lincoln and West Moreland.....	**F. A. Ginn	1
Linnton (405 Leavitt St., Portland).....	F. N. Sandifur	1
Mt. Tabor (1607 E. Stark St.).....	E. O. Eldridge	5
Montavilla (36 E. 80th St.).....	Hiram Gould	1
Patton (1070 Albina) .....	F. W. Keagy	2
Rose City Park (1520 Thompson St.).....	D. Lester Fields	1
Sellwood (588 Tacoma Ave.).....	W. S. Gordon	1
St. Johns (211 W. Leavitt).....	J. H. Irvine	3
Sunnyside (1064 E. Yamhill St.).....		
.....	R. E. Smith and C. T. McPherson	6
University Park (677 Vanderbilt).....	J. T. Abbett	3
Wilbur (208 W. 23rd St.).....	F. B. Short	1
Woodlawn (1347 E. 10th St.).....	W. E. Kloster	3
Woodstock (4319 Woodstock Ave.).....	L. C. Poor	3
Rainier and Deer Island.....	H. H. Howe	1
Seaside .....	R. T. L. McKelvey	1
St. Helens and Houlton.....	A. S. Hisey	3
Warrenton and Hammond.....	S. J. Kester	2

## SALEM DISTRICT.

T. B. Ford (4), District Superintendent, 414 Hubabrd Bldg.,  
Salem, Oregon.

Amity .....	A. F. Lacy	1
Ballston .....	S. W. Hall	1
Banks and North Plains.....	**F. S. Ford	1
Bay City and Wheeler.....	**H. J. Hickerson	1
Beaverton .....	G. A. Gray	4
Boring and Sandy.....	**J. G. Alford	1
Brooks .....	**R. J. Allen	1
Canby.....	Henry Spiess, *G. A. Spiess, Asst.	1
Carlton .....	**Joel R. Benton	1
Carus and Central Point.....	To be supplied	
Clackamas and Willamette.....	G. R. Abbott	1
Cornelius .....	**J. G. Crozier	4
Dallas .....	Charles P. Johnson	2
Dayton .....	M. A. Marcy	4
Dundee .....	To be supplied	
Dilley .....	**G. F. Round	1
Estacada .....	J. F. Dunlop	1
Fairview .....	**T. W. Atkinson	2
Falls City .....	A. S. Mulligan	1
Fargo .....	J. W. Warrell	1
Forest Grove .....	John H. Ebert	1
Gresham .....	J. M. Brown	2



Hillsboro .....	Walton Skipworth	3
Hubbard .....	H. O. Cooper	2
Lafayette .....	**C. P. Weeks	1
Liberty .....	To be supplied	
Livesley .....	A. Hawthorne	3
Marquam .....	*H. J. Ranton	1
McMinnville .....	E. M. Smith	1
Metzger and Tigard .....	E. S. Mace	2
Molalla .....	F. W. Snyder	3
Nehalem .....	C. W. Pogue	2
Newberg .....	R. E. Myers	3
Oregon City .....	E. E. Gilbert	3
Oak Grove and Bennett Chapel .....	J. J. Patton	1
Oswego and Wilsonville, Tualatin .....	F. R. Royston	2
Pleasant Home-Troutdale .....	*Earl B. Cotton	1
Pringle and Rockwood .....	**F. J. Schnell	1
Salem:		
First Church .....	R. N. Avison	9
Jason Lee Memorial .....	Thomas Acheson	1
	**Horace Kincaid, Asst.	3
Leslie .....	H. N. Aldrich	3
	*B. C. Brewster, Asst.	1
East Salem .....	*John D. Woodfin	1
West Salem .....	*Erwin G. Ranton	2
Scholls and Farmington .....	**M. M. Reid	1
Sheridan .....	**C. O. Troy	1
Silverton .....	L. W. Flenner	1
	William Nicholl, Asst.	
Stayton .....	W. J. Warren	2
Tillamook .....	Charles E. Gibson	2
Viola and Clarks .....	**D. H. Purcell	1
Willamina .....	*Alfred Bates	1
Woodburn .....	C. L. Dark	1
	**Frank L. Moore, Asst.	1
Yamhill .....	**Robert Brymer	4

### SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

A. N. Fisher, Field Secretary of Systematic Beneficence, First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

C. G. Doney, President of Willamette University, First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

C. T. Wilson, Secretary Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals, Wilbur, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

W. B. Hollingshead, Chairman of Allotments and Statistics of Methodist Centenary, First Church, Portland Quarterly Conference.

R. E. Dunlap, Superintendent of Charts of Methodist Centenary.

W. H. Fry, Superintendent of Hawaiian Mission.

M. B. Parounagian, Sunday School Missionary, First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

Edwin Sherwood, Professor in Kimball School of Theology, First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

E. S. Hammond, Professor in Kimball School of Theology, First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

W. P. Drew, Professor in Knox College, Galesburg, Ill., First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

H. W. Schwartz, Missionary in Japan.

C. M. Van Marter, Missionary in Alaska.

E. C. Richards, Secretary of Education, Willamette University, First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

C. C. Rarick, Executive Secretary Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals, Central, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

A. L. Howarth, Associate Secretary, Centenary Movement, Portland Area, Sunnyside, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

N. A. Christensen, Chaplain in U. S. Army, Lakeview, Quarterly Conference.

G. H. Parkinson, Chaplain in U. S. Army, Eugene, Quarterly Conference.

Y. M. C. A. War Work—W. E. Ingalls, Amity, Quarterly Conference; R. C. Young, Oak Grove and Bennett Chapel, Quarterly Conference; G. O. Oliver, First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference; E. B. Lockhart, First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference; F. M. Jasper, Lents, Quarterly Conference.

On leave of absence for one year—J. J. Mickey, First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference; L. F. Smith, Sunnyside, Portland, Quarterly Conference; B. A. Bristol, Viola and Clarks, Quarterly Conference; R. C. Blackwell, First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference; A. B. Calder, Wilbur, Portland, Quarterly Conference; G. L. Tufts, First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

Left without appointment to attend school—R. W. Maulden, Centenary, Portland, Quarterly Conference; C. A. Reetz, Lafayette, Quarterly Conference; H. M. Doxsee, Eugene, Quarterly Conference; A. F. Hanson, Salem, Quarterly Conference; C. B. Harrison, Willamina, Quarterly Conference.

John Parsons, Secretary Oregon Methodist Historical Society, Clinton Kelly, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

## Disciplinary Questions

1. Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirement of the Discipline?

Yes.

2. Who have been received by transfer, and from what Conferences?

F. B. Short, Columbia River; R. J. L. McKelvey, No. Dakota; H. H. Howe, Wisconsin; John H. Ebert, Dakota; F. L. Moore, Puget Sound; A. L. Howarth, Idaho; Simpson Hamrick, Okla.; L. W. Flenner, Idaho.

3. Who have been readmitted??

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Clarence G. Morris (Puget Sound, 1903).

4. Who have been received on credentials, and from what churches?

None.

5. Who have been received on trial?

(a) In studies of first year: Erwin G. Ranton, Robert Moulton Gatke.

(b) In studies of third year under the seminary rule. None.

6. Who have been continued on trial?

(a) Alfred Bates, Earl B. Cotton, Harold M. Doxsee, Alexander Hawthorn, Robt. W. Maulden, Chas. M. Keefer, Carl A. Reetz, Gustavus A. Spiess.

(b) In studies of second year: Bernard C. Brewster, R. A. Hutchinson, John D. Woodfin.

(c) In studies of third year. None.

(d) In studies of fourth year. None.

7. Who have been discontinued?

None.

8. Who have been admitted into full membership?

(a) Elected and ordained deacons this year. None.

(b) Elected and ordain deacons previously: J. Stanley Van Winkle.

9. What members are in studies of third year?

(a) Admitted into full membership this year: J. Stanley Van Winkle.

(b) Admitted into full membership previously: Chas. B. Harrison.

10. What members are in studies of fourth year?

None.

11. What members have completed the Conference Course of Study?

(a) Elected and ordained elders this year: Sidney W. Hall, S. Darlow Johnson, Edward T. Luther, Wm. Nicholl.

(b) Elected and ordained elders previously. None.

(c) Elected and ordained elders under the seminary rule. None.

12. What others have been elected and ordained deacons?

(a) As local preachers. None.

(b) Under missionary rule. None.

(c) Under the seminary rule. None.

13. What others have been elected and ordained elders?

(a) As local deacons. None.

(b) Under missionary rule. None.

14. Was the character of each preacher examined?

This was done in the usual order as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference.

15. Who have been transferred, and to what Conferences?

Phillipp Deschner, Gulf; Paul F. Green, Columbia River; T. W. Lane, Columbia River; J. J. Pacey, Idaho; J. West Thompson, New England.

16. Who have died?

Alfred A. Brittain, W. R. F. Brown, N. S. Buckner, David Wolfe.

17. Who have been located at their own request?

Daniel Webster Moore.

18. Who have been located?

None.

19. Who have withdrawn?

Chesley E. Curtis.

20. Who have been permitted to withdraw under charges or complaints?

None.

21. Who have been expelled?

None.

22. What other personal notation should be made?

None.

23. Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation?

C. H. Lawrence (6), H. I. Rutledge (6), W. J. Weber (3).

24. Who are the retired ministers?

F. H. Calder, L. W. Chandler, C. E. Cline, L. G. Cochran, Alonzo

Coslet, S. H. Dewart, A. C. Fairchild, Edward Gittins, Joseph Hoberg, G. A. Jahn, T. L. Jones, W. T. Kerr, C. A. Lewis, James Lisle, E. T. Luther, C. O. McCulloch, S. E. Meminger, James T. Moore, W. H. Myers, H. Oberg, C. M. Rees, G. F. Round, Samuel Snyder, D. G. Stephens, C. A. Stockwell, J. L. Stratford, D. T. Summerville, Asa Sleeth, Oren Wall, D. A. Watters, M. C. Wire.

25. Who are the triers of appeals?

R. E. Smith, R. N. Avison, Walton Skipworth, D. Lester Fields, S. A. Danford; reserves, Joseph Knotts, J. S. Greene.

26. What is the annual report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?

See report.

27. What is the annual report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?

See report.

28. What is the statistical report? See the statistician's report.

29. What is the Conference Treasurer's report? See the Conference Treasurer's report.

30. (a) What is the aggregate of the benevolent collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer? \$46,027.

(b) What is the aggregate of the benevolent collections ordered by the Annual Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer? \$26,129.

31. What are the claims on the Conference funds?

For annuity distribution, 1071 years multiplied by the Disciplinary rate of \$14.00 per year, \$14,994. For necessitous distribution, \$334. Total, \$15,328.

32. (a) What has been received on these claims?

From the Book Concern, \$1,632; from Annual Conference investments, \$1,000; from the chartered fund, none; from pastoral charges, \$4,343; Treasurer refund, \$200; Sunday collections, \$456; from the Board of Conference claimants, \$200; total, \$7,831.

(b) How has it been applied? Annuity, \$7,497; special, \$334.

33. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the Conference, to be raised for the support of Conference claimants?

Three per cent on salaries less than \$300; and 6 per cent on \$300 and over.

34. What amount has been paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Connectional Relief?

Five per cent of \$4,774, or \$238.

35. Where are the preachers stationed?

See list of appointments.

36. Where shall the next Conference be held?

First Church, Salem, Oregon.



## Anniversaries

**Woman's Home Missionary Society.** Wednesday, September 25, 1918, 2:00 P. M., Mrs. Joshua Stansfield, presiding. Miss DeWitt read her report on the Portland Industrial Center. Mrs. George Alden read the annual report of the society, Dr. Carl Gregg Doney delivered the anniversary address.

**Deaconess Board.** 3:30 P. M. Mrs. A. R. Mclean, presiding. Miss Nellie Curtiss gave her annual report on the Deaconess Home. Dr. George B. Dean, Department of Evangelism, Board of Home Missions and Church Extension spoke on "Woman and the New Day."

**Board of Education.** 7:30 P. M. A. F. Flegel, presiding. Address by Dr. H. J. Talbot, President of Kimball School of Theology. Address by Dr. B. A. Steeves, President of Board of Trustees Willamette University. Address by President Carl Gregg Doney, "The Need of Christian Education."

**Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.** 2:00 P. M., Thursday. Address by Charles A. Edwards, "The Task of Woman in the Church of Tomorrow."

**Annual Missionary Sermon.** 3:30 P. M., G. O. Oliver, presiding. Geo. H. Bennett, preacher.

**Oregon Methodist Historical Society.** 7:30 P. M. C. E. Cline, presiding. Address, "Relation of the Methodist Church to the Early Political Development of the State," C. B. Moores; address, "Some Early Lay Workers I Have Known," J. D. Lee; address, "What I Saw and Heard Among the Methodists as a Boy in Oregon," A. J. Joslyn; address, "Methodist Beginnings on This Northwest Coast," John Parsons.

**The Centenary.** 7:30 P. M., Friday, September 27, 1918, J. J. Kingham, missionary to India spoke on "Stewardship," Mark Freeman gave a stereopticon lecture on "Foreign Missions and the Centenary."

**Epworth League.** Saturday evening, 7:30, A. S. Hisey, presiding. Address, E. M. Smith; stereopticon address, Dr. Kingham.

**Temperance.** Sunday evening, September 29, at 8:00. Hiram Gould, presiding. C. C. Rarick, Executive Secretary, and C. T. Wilson, General Secretary of the Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals, delivered the addresses of the evening.

## Courses of Study for Traveling Preachers

### Rules Governing Examinations.

1. All undergraduates are required to inform the Chairman of the Board of Examiners within one month after the adjournment of the Annual Conference of their plans for study during the year.

2. No credits will be accepted by the Board from any school or College except on credentials from said institution properly signed by the Registrar.

3. All sets of questions on books to be studied shall consist of not more than twelve nor fewer than ten questions, each question to have not more than two sub-heads.

4. All examination papers shall be written in the presence of a member of the Board of Examiners.

5. Each undergraduate shall pay into the Treasury of the Board an annual fee of one dollar, either at the time of his first examination or at the time of the Annual Conference.

6. The officers of the Board are Albert S. Hisey, Chairman; M. T. Wire, Registrar; C. L. Dark, Treasurer.

### CONFERENCE COURSES OF STUDY.

#### Admission on Trial.

1. The Art of Writing English. Brown & Barnes.....W. S. Gordon
2. American History. James and Sanford.....E. E. Gilbert
3. Doctrine and Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church for  
1916 .....A. R. Maclean
4. Life of John Wesley. Winchester.....J. M. Brown
5. Plain Account of Christian Perfection. Wesley.....M. A. Marcy
6. Lives of Bible Characters: Moses; David; Jesus, (according  
to Mark); Paul, (as given in the Acts of the Apostles)....  
.....A. A. Heist
7. Written Sermon .....M. T. Wire
8. Directions and Helps for the Examination for Admission.

#### Course of Study for the First Year.

1. New Testament History. Rall.....D. H. Leech
2. Human Behavior. Colvin and Bagley.....E. C. Richards
3. Making of the Sermon. Pattison.....W. S. Gordon
4. How to Study and Teaching How to Study. McMurry.....J. M. Brown
5. Directions and Helps for the First Year.

#### Collateral Reading and Study.

1. The Church School. Athearn.....E. E. Gilbert

2. Public Worship. Hoyt.....E. C. Richards
3. Individual Work for Individuals. Trumbull.....J. C. Spencer
4. The Pastor Preacher. Quayle.....C. L. Dark
5. Winning the Fight Against Drink. Eaton.....Charles P. Johnson
6. The Life of the Spirit in Modern English Poets. Scudder...  
.....F. B. Short
7. Francis Asbury. Tipple.....M. A. Marcy
8. The Methodist Review.....L. C. Poor
9. Special Homiletical Work .....A. R. Maclean

**Course of Study for the Second Year.**

1. a. Dictionary of the Bible. Hastings.  
b. The Bible in the Making. Smyth.  
c. How We Got Our Bible. Smyth.....D. H. Leech
2. A Short History of the Christian Church. Moncrief...C. L. Dark
3. a. The Pupil and the Teacher. Weigle.  
b. The Graded Sunday School. Meyer.....J. C. Spencer
4. The Way to Win. Fisher.....A. A. Heist
5. Directions and Helps for the Second Year.

**Collateral Reading and Study.**

1. The Christian View of the Old Testament. Eiselen....A. A. Heist
2. Education in Religion and Morals. Coe.....E. C. Richards
3. The Preacher; His Life and Work. Jowett.....Chas. P. Johnson
4. Letters on Evangelism. Hughes.....Charles P. Johnson
5. Solving the Country Church Problem. Bricker.....E. G. Decker
6. History of Methodism. (Vol. I.) Stevens.....D. L. Fields
7. Life of Luther. McGiffert.....F. B. Short
8. The Methodist Review.....L. C. Poor
9. Special Homiletical Work.....C. L. Dark

**Course of Study for the Third Year.**

1. Beacon Lights of Prophecy. Knudson.....A. S. Hisey
2. Foundations of Christian Belief. Strickland.....A. A. Heist
3. a. The Social Problem. Elwood.  
b. Social Institutions and Ideals of the Bible. Soares.E. G. Decker
4. Directions and Helps for the Third Year.

**Collateral Reading and Study.**

1. Studies in Christianity. Bowne.....E. G. Decker
2. The Fact of Christ. Simpson.....M. A. Marcy
3. Christianity and the Social Crisis. Rauschenbusch.A. R. Maclean
4. Social Evangelism. Ward.....D. H. Leech
5. The Community Survey. Carroll.....A. S. Hisey
6. History of Methodism. (Vol. II.) Stevens.....D. L. Fields

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7. Life of Philips Brooks. Allen.....E. E. Gilbert
  8. The Methodist Review.....L. C. Poor
  9. Special Homiletical Work.....M. T. Wire
  1. Paul and His Epistles. Hayes.....M. T. Wire
  2. System of Christian Doctrine. Sheldon.....C. L. Dark
  3. Every Day Ethics. Cabot.....E. C. Richards
  4. a. The New Home Missions. Douglas.
  - b. Social Aspects of Foreign Missions. Faunce....Joseph Knotts
  5. Directions and Helps for the Fourth Year.

#### Collateral Reading and Study.

1. Historical Geography of the Holy Land. Smith.....J. M. Brown
2. The Book of Isaiah. (Expositor's Bible. Vol. I.)....E. E. Gilbert
3. Outline of Christian Theology. Clarke.....E. G. Decker
4. The Call of the World. Doughty.....Joseph Knotts
5. The Church a Community Force. Tippy.....F. B. Short
6. The Minister as Shepherd. Jefferson.....W. S. Gordon
7. History of Methodism. (Vol. III.) Stevens.....D. L. Fields
8. The Methodist Review.....L. C. Poor
9. Special Homiletical Work .....A. R. Maclean

#### Local Deacon's Orders.

1. Studies in Christianity. Bowne.....E. G. Decker
2. The Christian View of the Old Testament. Eiselen....A. A. Heist
3. A Compendious History of Methodism. Stevens.....D. L. Fields
4. The Way to Win. Fisher.....D. L. Fields
5. Social Solutions. Hall.....D. H. Leech

#### Local Elders Orders.

1. Paul and His Epistles. Hayes.....M. T. Wire
2. The Person and Place of Christ.....J. M. Brown

## Reports

### AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

The American Bible Society which has just completed one hundred years of service is facing an ever increasing demand for Bibles. Through it is made the one direct call to the Christian churches of America for our soldiers and sailors. In view of the fact that the ordinary contributions just about carry on the regular work, and in as much as this society is the official agency of the churches, we, your committee, recommend a larger support than heretofore.

R. E. SMITH,  
R. S. BISHOP,  
W. J. WARREN,  
R. J. DEVENPORT,  
Committee.

### BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

We note with great pleasure that the Methodist Book Concern, in spite of market conditions and war distractions, has had a prosperous year, and has been able to give of its dividends this year to the retired ministers, their wives and children, the magnificent sum of \$250,000.

We commend the progressive action of the Book Concern in establishing in Portland a salesroom which we trust will soon be a full fledged depository.

We are exceedingly pleased with the wide range and high quality of our Sunday School literature. The revised series of Graded Lessons, and the Uniformed Lesson Helps adapted to age groups, equip us to meet the needs of varied departments of Sunday School work. The universal use of our literature, in all our Sunday Schools, therefore, cannot be too strongly urged. The fact that the sales of our Uniform Sunday School Publications have passed the million-dollar mark, while those of the Graded Lessons show a decided increase, indicates the wide favor in which these publications are held.

We are justly proud of our *Pacific Christian Advocate* and its Editor, Mr. Robert H. Hughes, and urge renewed and more earnest efforts in pushing the subscription list until the *Advocate* is read in every Methodist home in the Conference, especially now, when a great "World Reconstruction" program is on under the Centenary Movement. As an assistant pastor in creating religious interest, and as an agent of publicity its possibilities are boundless. Just now



four full pages of information concerning the Centenary movement are printed each week. We register our convictions that the pastor who is faithful in the circulation of the *Pacific Christian Advocate* adopts a sure method of extending the influence of his ministry and increasing the power of his Church.

(Signed) C. C. RARICK,  
C. L. DARK,  
MELVILLE T. WIRE,  
THOS. D. YARNES.

### CHILDREN'S DAY.

Since war activities greatly disturb the efficient working of other important departments of our churches, we recommend that they take advantage of the great opportunity afforded, for faithful service in the Sunday School; that the great anniversary days be given their proper place in the Sunday School program; that the Children's Day service be fittingly observed, and since we find the programs furnished by our own Book Concern of a high character we recommend their use.

We call attention to the fact that our country is greatly in need of educated men for various activities, hence we urge our pastors to use every effort to swell the Children's Day Fund for students' aid, so that deserving students shall not be held back because of lack of funds.

C. L. HAMILTON,  
J. F. COLEMAN,  
R. J. DEVENPORT.

### CONFERENCE DEACONESS BOARD OF NINE.

The Conference Deaconess Board of Nine submit the following  
Number of deaconesses connected with the Home..... 8

Number of deaconesses connected with the Home, eight.

Receipts for running expenses.....\$3,300.00

Disbursements ..... 3,250.00

C. W. De Graff, President of the local board, reports the Home clear of debt.

The Superintendent of the Home, Miss Nellie M. Curtis, reports as follows, from September 1, 1917, to September 1, 1918:

Calls of all kinds made.....7212

Persons given material relief..... 802

Money spent in caring for needy.....\$222.65

Number of sick visited.....1065

Garments distributed .....3727

Aggregate number taught in Sunday School.....2392

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Aggregate number taught in Junior League.....	1019
Hours spent in nursing .....	2276
Number persons nursed .....	114

The licenses of the following Deaconesses are hereby referred to the Annual Conference for approved. Recommended favorably by the Conference Board of Nine: Miss Nellie M. Curtiss, Superintendent of the Home; Miss Della M. Milligan, Miss Hattie R. Kissell, Miss Nell C. Johnson, Miss Emma M. E. Sundheimer, Miss Edith B. Bird, Miss Florence Twidwell; Miss Margaret S. Davies, probationer, and Miss Amy B. Cardiff, probationer.

Miss Mary J. Hepburn, at her own request, has been given an honorable discharge.

The leave of absence of Miss Florence Twidwell was continued on account of ill health.

Miss Sadie Smith was transferred to the Columbia River Conference.

The following deaconesses have been received into the Conference during the past year: Miss Nell C. Johnson from Idaho Conference, Miss Emma M. E. Sundheimer from Rock River Conference, Miss Edith B. Bird from Columbia River Conference, and Miss Amy B. Cardiff, a probationer.

Miss Amy B. Cardiff has been given a certificate of recognition, and at her own request, her resignation as nurse deaconess was accepted.

The Board recommends, that Miss Margaret Davies, who has been on probation for two years, be given a deaconess license.

That we reaffirm the action of last year regarding the Training School at Seattle; that we welcome our deaconesses to our pulpits for the presentation of their work; and that we thank the pastors of the Conference for the supplies sent from their charges during the year.

We ask the approval by this Annual Conference of the following recommendation as members of the Conference Board of nine: Terms to expire 1921, Joshua Stansfield, Mrs. A. R. Maclean and J. C. Rollins; and as officers for the year 1918-1919 the following: President, W. W. Youngson; Vice-President, R. E. Smith; Secretary, Mrs. A. R. Maclean.

We further recommend that in event of any vacancy occurring the Board be authorized to fill such vacancy.

W. W. YOUNGSON, President.

MRS. A. R. MACLEAN, Secretary.

### EVANGELISM.

We, your committee on Evangelism, recommend that we stress evangelism in each charge this year. First, by a systematic cam-

paign for the salvation of the children, and by their organization into classes for instruction. Second, by special revival services preparatory to the Centenary campaign and that each pastor, so far as possible, be his own evangelist, with such help as he can obtain from his District Superintendent or neighboring pastors.

W. S. GORDON,  
R. A. HUTCHINSON,  
S. A. DANFORD,  
D. LESTER FIELDS,

Committee.

### EDUCATION.

Willamette University has stood true in these days and the nation is standing by Willamette. A Student Army Training Corps has been established and an army officer has been detailed to have charge of the military work. The University is preparing to care for 200 men.

During the past year Dr. Doney was called to France for a six months' speaking tour. This with the high character of Willamette soldiers has gained for the school an enviable reputation.

We commend the efficient labors of Rev. E. C. Richards as field agent.

We recommend the names of the following as Trustees for the coming three years, terms to expire 1921: R. N. Avison, W. W. Youngson, and E. E. Gilbert.

We recommend the following University visitors for the coming year: G. H. Bennett, C. A. Edwards.

We are pleased to know that Kimball School of Theology has had another year of successful work. It is meeting a real want in this Northwest region, and is doing it well.

The school is worthy of the patronage of our people and of their financial help. We confidently recommend it to our young men entering the ministry. It has the official endorsement of the Church, as a necessary adjunct in the Christian work of this region.

The business management merits our approval, and members of the faculty have our profound respect as men of devotion and ability.

We rejoice in the widening field of usefulness opening before the school.

We recommend as visitors to Kimball College, H. J. Van Fossen, T. B. Ford.

J. T. ABBOTT,  
G. H. PARKINSON,  
R. N. AVISON,  
C. A. EDWARDS.

## EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Your committee on Epworth League presents the following report: We desire to urge the pastors to include in their Church program a careful consideration of next year's Epworth League Institute. Its function is to educate and quicken the spiritual life of Leaguers and pastors.

Our Institute this year was held at Jefferson, Oregon. It was unanimously voted the best ever held in the Conference. The program was the strongest ever presented because of the presence and inspiration of the Centenary team, consisting of Drs. Dean, Mitchell, Mann, Mills, Chapman, Connell, and Mark Freeman. Our young people present at this session were made ready for participation in the local Church drive.

We recommend that it be the sense of this body that the goal for attendance next year be a pastor and two League members from each charge. The registration this year was 125.

We recommend further that the election by the student body of the following members of the Board of Control be confirmed:

Portland District—E. H. Waters, Wilbur Church.

Salem District—Myrtle Richardson, First Church.

Eugene District—Virginia Mason, Jefferson Church.

Klamath District—Helen Shaver, Sutherlin Church.

We also present for publication the following report of the Registrar and Treasurer:

Received from registrations .....	\$125.00
Received from cafeteria .....	74.31
Received from rentals .....	26.25
Received from collections .....	42.74
Received from other sources.....	31.52

Total assets .....	\$299.82
Expended for faculty traveling expenses.....	\$ 37.72
Expended for cafeteria .....	107.15
Expended for rentals and drayage.....	55.00
Expended for carpenter work.....	26.40
Expended for printing.....	31.09
Expended for miscellaneous items.....	3.52

Total liabilities.....	\$260.48
Balance on hand September 30, 1918.....	39.34

Respectfully submitted,

VIRGINIA MASON,

Registrar and Treasurer.

S. DARLOW JOHNSON,

ERNEST M. SMITH,

Committee.

### COMMISSION ON PAST GRADUATE STUDY.

In view of the scantiness of the response to the course of study which was offered the past year, due, no doubt, to the pressure of the present world conditions, your Commission recommend that we do not build an additional course for the ensuing year, that the organization be continued, and that the following two courses, previously offered, be still open to those who have not already taken them:

#### First Course—

"The Problem of the Old Testament".....	James Orr
"Introduction to the Literature of the Old Testament".....	
.....	S. R. Driver
"Christianizing the Social Order".....	Rauschenbush
"History of Trades-Unionism".....	Webb
"Christian Psychology" .....	Shalker
"Varieties of Christian Experience".....	James
"Every Man's Religion".....	George Hodges
"The Gospel of the Divine Sacrifice".....	Charles Cuthbert Hall
"History of Civilization".....	Guizot
"Heroes and Hero-Worship".....	Carlyle
"Saul" and "The Ring and the Book".....	Browning

#### Second Course—

"The Person and Place of Jesus Christ".....	P. T. Forsythe
"In the Days of His Flesh".....	David Smith
"Understanding the Scriptures".....	F. J. McConnell
"The Three Religious Leaders of Oxford"....	S. Parker Cadman
"The Challenge of the Present Crisis".....	Harry E. Fosdick
"The Making of Modern England".....	Gilbert Slater
"Egotism in German Philosophy".....	G. Santayana
	R. N. AVISON, President.

EDWIN SHERWOOD, Registrar.

### COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

Your Committee on Resolutions presents the following:

We mention with pleasure the evidences of uniform faithfulness on the part of members of the Conference in all the interests of the church committed to them, spiritual and temporal, during the past year, as shown in their reports at this session.

We extend grateful thanks to the trustees of the First Church, Portland, District Superintendent W. W. Youngson, and Mr. O. C. Brotzmyer, Chairman Committee on Entertainment whose efforts to care for all have been untiring; and to the homes of Portland where their doors have been opened wide to receive us, and our visitors.

For the Secretary, Treasurer, and Statistician with their chosen



helpers, whose burden of work is little understood by the Conference at large, we record sincere thanks; and to the Kimball chorus for the choice music they have furnished at our meetings, and to the press we extend our gratitude.

And finally:

We are delighted with the administration of Bishop Shepard. Without hitch or hurry the varied interests of the Conference have been cared for, and when in the economy of the church it may be ordered, we hereby express the unfeigned wish to have him again as presiding Bishop whose strength is shown in simplicity and gentleness. As he turns his steps homeward where death claims a beloved boy, we mourn with and pray for him and the broken hearted mother.

E. O. ELDRIDGE, Chairman,  
WALTON SKIPWORTH,  
G. H. BENNETT,  
C. E. CLINE, Secretary.

#### SANCTITY OF THE SABBATH.

A corruption of morals usually follows the profanation of the Sabbath, hence, we plead for a Sunday law and its enforcement. Recognizing that next to the unspeakable gift of his Son is God's gift of the Sabbath we ought by precept and example to teach men its high privileges and the duties of its worshipful observance. President Wilson having followed the example of Washington and Lincoln in ordering all unnecessary work in the army and navy suspended on the first day of the week, we hold that the present is the opportune moment to initiate further national legislation and to enter a vigorous protest against Sunday work in the shipyards and manufacturing establishments of our country. We further recommend that the Oregon Conference hereby declare its willingness to co-operate with all legitimate organizations in a united effort to make our Sabbath truly Christian.

F. W. KEAGY,  
L. F. BELKNAP.

#### SUMMARY OF REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSIONARY.

Spent six weeks on detached service in aid of Armenian and Syrian Relief. Travelled 13,459 miles. Visited 148 communities. Called on 598 families. Delivered 261 addresses and sermons, leading to conversion of 25 persons who later united with our church. Baptized two children. Taught twenty-six Sunday School classes. Reorganized eight discontinued schools and organized sixteen new schools, the twenty-four having a total membership of 691. Recom-

mend enthusiastic support of Teacher Training Drive October 15 to November 15, 1918.

M. B. PAROUNAGIAN,  
Sunday School Missionary.

### TEMPERANCE.

Future generations will look back upon that period between 1851 and 1918 as the most far-reaching era of moral achievement of human history. From General Neal Dow, the source of our prohibition activities, to Clarence True Wilson, the princely leader of prohibition and moral reform in the Methodist Episcopal Church for the whole world, are included 67 of the most persistent and faithful years of service on the part of the sober-loving folks of this nation. We have watched the working out of this wonderful reformation with personal astonishment; we have known church members to refuse to support this movement because it could not receive the endorsement of their political leaders; we have seen its advocates cajoled and threatened, but we have beheld the fidelity of this modern band of Gideonites expressing their faith in their works until the politician is now the greatest exponent of temperance, and a President of the United States of America has honored himself and blessed his countrymen by the signing of a bill that shall ere long assure us that our stainless flag shall soon float over a saloonless nation.

It might be both well and profitable for us to remember that the first real "Bone Dry Law" had its origin right here in Oregon, and it might be just as interesting for us to know that the second state to adopt this radical measure was the oft regarded wicked State of Arizona. The western man has for a long time found real delight in the fact that he lived in a dry state, or in a state that was soon to go dry. Brethren, it seems almost too good to be true, and its almost too true to be good that this long hoped-for, prayed-for, and wept-for day is coming when our distilleries and breweries shall be turned into centers of profitable business and our saloons will become places of helpful merchandise, and the thousands now engaged in this business of untold and untellable sorrows shall become a real part of the industrious fabric of the nation to the end that our government shall be able to assist in the most blessed event since the coming of Jesus to the earth, I mean making this world a safe place in which the weak and the struggling for life may have their rightful place and their needed help in their effort. War prohibition? Certainly, we all believed in war prohibition, and now that we are to have it, we propose that this nation shall never again become a rum-cursed nation.

Alertness, preparation and statesmanship in this department of

our church activities are necessary. Down there in Washington, under the very shadow of our National Capitol, the Methodist Episcopal Church owns a splendid site upon which it is proposed to erect a suitable building that shall be the home of our Board of Prohibition and Public Morals. That building ought to be completed at the earliest possible date. We dare not question the relation of our national representatives to the great moral problems that arise from time to time, but of this we are assured—they will be none the less favorable toward these problems if we are so we can watch them, and they will support them more courageously when we are so located that we can keep them informed of the great issues. Therefore, we recommend that this Conference shall in every possible way assist our General Secretary, Dr. Wilson, in his efforts to complete this building by calling upon the various organizations of our churches to do their full share in this most worthy undertaking.

General Neal Dow, what of the night? There is seen the beautiful ray of Hope blushing upon the eastern sky. Frances Willard, Queen among the White Ribboners, what of the night? Two beautiful beams—Hope and Assurance—are lighting the sky until it would seem that the morning cometh. Brother Wilson, speaking for the Methodist Episcopal Church, tell me, What of the night? Hope, Assurance and Victory come on July 1st, 1919. Flash it from ocean to ocean; thunder it among the mountains, sound it forth from every church bell; sing it ye millions of redeemed, and in the midst of our rejoicings may we never fail to give all thanks unto Him to whom thanks belong. But how do we know that Victory cometh? Because fourteen states have already ratified the amendment to our national Constitution in favor of National Prohibition, and twenty-four others will vote upon this ratification amendment in January next, and before the final vote of the last state legislature of the nation is taken it will be decided for all time that America, the Good Samaritan among nations, is taking her rightful place in relation to the great moral issues of life.

Your committee would also call attention to the unlimited distribution of cigarettes and tobacco to our soldiers and sailors and would place this Conference upon record as being entirely against this practice, believing that it is not only needless but that it is positively detrimental and injurious to both the morals and the physical efficiency of our splendid defenders of democracy and promoters of a new and higher type of civilization. We would further most kindly request all members of our churches to refrain from this iniquitous and destructive practice.

At the request of the Anti-Saloon League, we recommend that the same trustees shall be continued during the coming Conference

year: R. N. Avison, W. W. Youngson, T. B. Ford, E. A. Baker and A. M. Smith.

FRANCIS BURGETTE SHORT,  
C. E. GIBSON.

### REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF STEWARDS.

We, the Conference Board of Stewards, submit the following report. We have 45 claimants; 28 superannuates, 14 widows, 3 orphans. Their claims aggregate \$16,772, being \$717 more than last year.

To meet these claims we have received from:

Book Concern .....	\$1632	Decrease, \$448
Interest on Permanent Fund.....	1000	
Pastoral Charges .....	4343	Increase, 71
Women's Home Missionary Society.....		Decrease, 50
Connectional Fund .....	200	Decrease, 200
Conference Sunday Collection .....	456	Increase, 278
Refund from Conference Treasurer .....	200	Increase, 200

Total.....\$7831

#### Annuity Fund:

Book Concern .....	\$1632
Interest on Permanent Fund.....	1000
Pastoral Charges .....	4343
Refund from Conference Treasurer.....	200
Conference Sunday Collection .....	322

Total.....\$7497

#### Special Fund:

Connectional Fund .....	\$200
Conference Sunday Collection .....	134

Total.....\$334

We recommend the following distribution:

Beneficiary	Years Service	Annuity Claim	Annuity Paid	Special Paid	Total
Joseph Hoberg .....	10	\$140.00	\$ 70.00	\$ 40.00	\$110.00
A. C. Fairchild.....	40	560.00	280.00	.....	280.00
F. H. Calder.....	16	224.00	112.00	.....	112.00
W. H. Myers.....	19	266.00	133.00	.....	133.00
Samuel Snyder .....	24	336.00	168.00	.....	168.00
S. E. Meminger.....	26	364.00	182.00	88.00	270.00
C. A. Stockwell.....	32	448.00	224.00	.....	224.00
C. A. Lewis.....	30	420.00	210.00	.....	210.00
C. E. Cline.....	38	532.00	266.00	.....	266.00



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J. L. Stratford.....	21	294.00	147.00	.....	147.00
W. T. Kerr.....	30	420.00	210.00	.....	210.00
M. C. Wire.....	33	462.00	231.00	.....	231.00
G. F. Round.....	23	322.00	161.00	.....	161.00
T. L. Jones.....	35	490.00	245.00	25.00	270.00
Asa Sleeth .....	38	532.00	266.00	.....	266.00
C. M. Rees.....	16	224.00	112.00	.....	112.00
D. T. Summerville.....	40	560.00	280.00	.....	280.00
H. Oberg .....	21	294.00	147.00	.....	147.00
A. Coslet .....	25	350.00	175.00	.....	175.00
D. A. Watters.....	39	546.00	273.00	.....	273.00
James Lisle .....	50	700.00	350.00	.....	350.00
E. Gittins .....	31	434.00	217.00	53.00	270.00
L. W. Chandler.....	30	420.00	210.00	.....	210.00
G. A. Jahn.....	26	364.00	182.00	.....	182.00
J. T. Moore.....	27	378.00	189.00	.....	189.00
S. H. Dewart.....	34	476.00	238.00	.....	238.00
Oren Wall .....	15	210.00	105.00	40.00	145.00
C. O. McCulloch.....	46	644.00	322.00	.....	322.00

	Husband's	Years	Annuity	Annuity	Special	
	Years	Serv.	Claim	Paid	Paid	Total
Mrs. C. Alderson...	34	25	350.00	175.00	.....	175.00
Mrs. J. T. Wolfe...	22	16	224.00	112.00	.....	112.00
Mrs. J. H. B. Royal.	7	5	70.00	35.00	76.00	111.00
Mrs. I. D. Driver.	30	22	308.00	154.00	.....	154.00
Mrs. R .T. Baldwin.	6	4	56.00	28.00	12.00	40.00
Mrs. W. M. Erskine.	22	16	224.00	112.00	.....	112.00
Mrs. John Flinn....	48	36	504.00	252.00	.....	252.00
Mrs. W. J. Gardner	19	14	196.00	98.00	.....	98.00
Mrs. C. M. Bryan..	37	28	392.00	196.00	.....	196.00
Mrs. W. S. Holcomb	19	14	196.00	98.00	.....	98.00
Mrs. Sanford Snyder	34	25	350.00	175.00	.....	175.00
Mrs. N. S. Buckner.	22	16	224.00	112.00	.....	112.00
Mrs. W. R. F. Brown	22	16	224.00	112.00	.....	112.00
Mrs. A. A. Brittain.	12	9	126.00	63.00	.....	63.00
Miss Naomi Harbit.	18	4	56.00	28.00	.....	28.00
Miss Mabel Brown..	22	4	56.00	28.00	.....	28.00
Miss Brittain .....	12	2	28.00	14.00	.....	14.00

Total..... 1071 \$14,994.00 \$7,497.00 \$334.00 \$7,831.00

Respectfully submitted,

D. H. LEECH, Chairman, C. L. HAMILTON,  
JOSEPH KNOTTS, Sec'y-Treas., D. L. FIELDS,  
M. T. WIRE, G. H. PARKINSON,  
E. C. RICHARDS, S. A. DANFORD.  
M. B. PAROUNAGIAN,



## SUMMARY OF CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

## Receipts.

Board of Foreign Missions .....	\$ 7,563.00
Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.....	7,070.00
Freedmen's Aid, etc.....	1,069.00
Sunday Schools—from Churches.....	491.00
Sunday Schools .....	348.00
Public Education Collection .....	2,566.00
Children's Day Fund .....	322.00
American Bible Society .....	533.00
Board of Temperance .....	375.00
General Deaconess Board .....	167.00
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.....	82.00
Woman's Home Missionary Society.....	5.00
City Missionary Society .....	320.00
Hospital .....	5.00
Educational Investments .....	71.00
Investments Conference Claimants .....	541.00
Central Office Epworth League Exchange.....	56.00
Episcopal Fund .....	1,789.00
Support Conference Claimants—	
Conference Collections .....	4,774.00
Book Concern .....	1,632.00
Conference Board Conference Claimants.....	1,000.00
Sunday Collection .....	456.10
General Board Conference Claimants.....	200.00
Funds in Treasurer's Hands .....	200.00
General Conference Expenses .....	451.00
Fractional Money and Unclassified.....	605.13
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	\$32,491.23

## Disbursements.

Board of Foreign Missions.....	\$ 7,563.00
Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.....	7,070.00
Freedmen's Aid, etc. ....	1,069.00
Board of Sunday Schools—Churches.....	491.00
Sunday Schools .....	348.00
Board of Education—Children's Fund.....	322.00
20 per cent Public Education Collection.....	513.20
Willamette University .....	1,642.24
Kimball College of Theology .....	410.56
Board of Stewards for Conference Claimants.....	8,823.40
General Board Conference Claimants, Chicago.....	238.70
Investments Conference Claimants.....	541.00
General Office Epworth League Expenses.....	56.00
Episcopal Fund .....	1,789.00
General Conference Expenses.....	451.00
Fractional Money and Unclassified.....	605.13
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	\$32,491.23

# REPORT OF TREASURER OF CONFERENCE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION.

## Regular Home Missions.

October 4, 1917 .....	\$2,387.50
January 10, 1918.....	2,287.50
April 10, 1918.....	2,287.50
July 5, 1918.....	2,287.50
Balance on hand, October 1, 1917.....	32.50
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	\$9,282.50

## Disbursements.

October, on four Districts by checks.....	\$2,400.00
January 9, 1918.....	2,287.50
April 17, 1918.....	2,245.00
July 11, 1918.....	2,288.00
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	\$9,220.50
Balance on Hand October 1st, 1918.....	62.50

## SPECIAL YAINAX INDIAN WORK.

### Receipts.

October 4, 1917.....	\$ 62.50
November 12, 1917.....	62.50
December 4, 1917.....	62.50
January 10, 1918.....	62.50
February 6, 1918.....	62.50
March 14, 1918.....	62.50
April 10, 1918.....	62.50
May 8, 1918.....	62.50
June 25, 1918.....	62.50
July 5, 1918.....	62.50
August 6, 1918.....	62.50
September 4, 1918.....	62.50
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	\$750.00

### Disbursements.

November 14, 1917, H. J. Van Fossen.....	\$ 62.50
January 15, 1918, H. J. Van Fossen.....	187.50
February 13, 1918, H. J. Van Fossen.....	62.50
March 14, 1918, H. J. Van Fossen.....	62.50
May 9, 1918, H. J. Van Fossen.....	125.00
June 26, 1918, H. J. Van Fossen.....	62.50
July 11, 1918, H. J. Van Fossen.....	62.50
August 8, 1918, A. S. Hotchkiss.....	62.50
September 10, 1918, A. S. Hotchkiss.....	62.50
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	\$750.00

**Church Extension.****Receipts—Donation.**

February 10, 1918, Nehalem.....	\$ 250.00
April 30, 1918, Estacada.....	250.00
May 21, 1918, Livesley.....	250.00
May 21, 1918, Willamina.....	250.00
May 21, 1918, Tigard.....	100.00
June 25, 1918, Garden Home.....	300.00
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	\$1,400.00

**Disbursements.**

February 13, 1918, Trustees Nehalem Church.....	\$ 250.00
May 1, 1918, Trustees Estacada Church.....	250.00
May 23, A. P. Carpenter.....	250.00
May 23, 1918, C. B. Harrison.....	250.00
May 23, 1918, E. O. Allen.....	100.00
June 26, Dr. R. Hetlesater.....	300.00
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	\$1,400.00
	C. O. McCULLOCH,
	Treasurer.

**THE OREGON CONFERENCE LAYMAN'S ASSOCIATION.**

At a meeting held in Oxford Parlors, First Church, Portland, Oregon, September 12th, 1918, the following officers were elected for the year 1918-19:

President—J. W. Day of Portland.

Vice-President—A. A. Lee of Salem.

Recording Secretary—Miss Grace Driver of Tangent.

Corresponding Secretary—E. A. Baker of Portland.

Treasurer—J. L. Hartman of Portland.

## Our Honored Dead

### MEMORIAL ADDRESS.

By The Rev. Clarence True Wilson, D. D.

Every year we thus gather around the altar and the cross at the opening of our Annual Conference to remind ourselves that this is not our continuing city, and that our appointments do not last. As soon as we have learned to do our work well we must stop. But never before have we had our memorial service under such outward circumstances; and we trust never again may we face such world conditions. The reaper death ceases to appall; for we are living under a rain of death. This list of casualties in our paper every morning looks like a mere row of names, but every name that is printed there is a thunderbolt to some home and to some breaking heart, and some of them represent flashes of grief breaking into many homes. On this side we lay our brethren away, but over there they slay them by the millions. Shall they live again? Does death end all? Can a German machine gun destroy a soul?

When we hear of the heroic deeds, the valor that hesitates not to lay down a life, we wish we were there. For heroism is in our blood. But there are deeds as heroic and self-sacrificing, tasks as difficult and all consuming right here in our charges, and we cannot all go abroad. But nothing will justify our not going except sacrificing as many hours a day of a hero-born, martyr bred lifetime work to meet the conditions that confront us here. It is a time of anxious hearts and longing inquiries and perplexed faith; but give us the twentieth century prophet who stands in a Methodist pulpit, whether of rosewood in a temple or of fir boards in a forest, and preaches such a full gospel, such a whole Bible, such a victorious faith as will set the intellectual firmament of American communities ablaze with these stars of Christian hope; God is, God cares, God loves, God comes. His son is on the throne of the nations. He separates them as a shepherd divides his sheep from his goats. He is putting down the mighty from their seats, and exalting them of low degree. He is ruling and over-ruling and will uncrown the kings, the emperors, the czars and the kaisers, and enthrone the common man, and make the nations live that care for His poor. The Holy Spirit is the executive of the God-head speaking to hearts of men. Immortal souls made in His image, redeemed by His blood, chartered by the breath of lives for an immortal voyage, are destined to live forever. Sickness can't invade the soul. Our enemies' big gun can't strike it down. It will live on after every sun has dimmed its splendor, and every star has flickered out.

We have the remedy for death. Our Captain has the keys of Hades and the grave. Our Creator planned a better destiny than coffins for us. He opened the Kingdom of Heaven to all believers. "Now He that wrought us for this selfsame thing is God, who also hath given us the earnest of the spirit."

You loved these men who have gone out from us and, "Your heart shall live forever." The immortality of the affections; the Holy Spirit witnessing to our deathless destiny: Jesus dying and rising above death, **because it was not possible that He should be holden of it**; these are the mountain peaks over which the Sun of Righteousness arises bringing life and immortality to light.

O Christian ministers set the firmamental arch reverberating with our glad immortality! Let the bereaved parents, sisters, wives and children know that their dead have not died in vain; and that our dead live. From the nature of the soul, the spirit of faith and the teaching of revelation proclaim the truth that when the old soldier totters under his burden here and falls, he rises to a sublimer sphere, for God's universe is more than one story high.

"Death's but a path that must be trod,  
If man would ever pass to God."

We do not mourn as those who have no hope for those who lay their burden down. Even the Grecian philosopher did not do that. Socrates reasoned it out that the soul is too big for the grave, the spirit too much like God to die. He saw the infinite capability of spiritual and moral development, and knew that such capacities meant something. He saw the inequalities of rewards and punishments in this life, and knew that under the government of a just God much time was needed to work out His infinite will; for every man's life is a plan of God's. Plato took up the argument; and, as a thinker, he towers up next to St. Paul. But giving up certainty in despair he said, "I was born in ignorance. I have lived in trepidation. I die in uncertainty. O, thou Cause of causes, pity me," and then concluded, "then we must wait until some God or some divine man come to teach us how to live and how to die." Even old Job stretched out his weary hands and cried, "O, that I knew I might find Him, that I might approach even unto His seat." But in despair, "There is no Daysman betwixt us that might lay hands upon us both.' But there came a day when the shadow of a cross arose upon a lonely hill, and your Lord and mine with His bleeding hands lifted off our curse of sins, and the third morning with those same pierced hands lifted off our doubts and fears, as He came forward and wrote over the empty sepulcher, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believeth in Me, tho he were dead, yet shall he live; and whosoever liveth and believeth in Me, shall never die."



"O then what raptured greetings on heaven's happy shore,  
What knitting sundered friendships up where partings are no  
more."

### ALFRED A. BRITTAIN.

Probably no member of this Conference has had a more varied and adventurous career than Alfred A. Brittain. He was born in 1880 on an old English homestead of well to do parents. His home was one of culture and refinement and he was most carefully educated until he was sixteen years of age, at which time he was apprenticed in the British navy.

At the age of eighteen he was made a member of the royal escort of Great Britain serving as personal guard on board the yacht "Victoria and Edward," to the members of the English royal family. While serving in Mediterranean waters, the members of his ship's crew were landed on one of the islands to prevent the massacre of Armenian Christians by the Turks. Many of his comrades were either shot or poisoned, but to use his own expression, "Out of it all, the Lord delivered him," though he was very sick for a time.

After partial recovery he was discharged from the navy, and came to America, where he followed various callings, both on land and sea.

In a little Methodist Mission hall in Victoria, B. C., he was converted, and soon felt the call to preach. Through the good offices of Dr. S. S. Sulliger he was enabled to complete his education sufficiently to enter the Puget Sound Conference, which he did in 1908. He was married in 1905 to Miss Hattie Spencer, and she has ever been the inspiration of his ministerial service. In Puget Sound Conference they served the charges of Buckley, Castle Rock, Pe Ell, Arlington, and Custer. In 1916 he transferred to this Conference in the hope that the change in climate would benefit Mrs. Brittain's health, and was stationed at Sutherlin, moving to Yoncalla in the following year. Though he served the latter charge only two months yet he endeared himself greatly to the people. On Christmas day he was stricken with a low fever which he fought for several weeks. During this time he received telegraphic orders to report at Ft. Stevens for a physical examination for an Army Chaplaincy for which he had applied immediately on the entrance of the United States into the war. He went at once to the hospital at Roseburg, in the hope that complete rest and expert care would restore him.

But it was not to be. After a heroic fight of three months, he died March 23. The funeral was conducted at Yoncalla by Dr. Van Fossen, and his body was laid to rest at Bellingham, Washing-

ton. Besides his wife a nine year old daughter receives the sympathy of their friends in their bereavement.

One cannot but feel that at the death of Brother Brittian, a life of peculiar attainments was cut off. He was a good singer, a fiery speaker, and a vigorous energetic worker. He was a very earnest temperance worker in Washington and incurred the bitter hatred of the saloon men, becoming a target for blows and bullets. He was intensely militant and patriotic, and his great sorrow as he faced death was that he could not serve his country and God as a chaplain in the army. But he fought a good fight, he kept the faith, and has received the crown of righteousness from the hand of his Master.

J. C. SPENCER.

### WILLIAM ROBERT FREDERICK BROWNE.

William Robert Frederick Browne was born in London, England, July 6, 1866. His father was a surgeon physician and a member of the Church of England, in which his children received the customary religious training. Two of his uncles distinguished themselves in the English Church, one becoming Bishop of Winchester, the other Bishop Steer of Africa. While in England he attended school at Rugby, after which he spent some time in France studying the French language.

When William was seventeen years of age he migrated to Canada. About two years later his heart was warmed by Methodist fire, and he was converted and became a member of that Church. He attended the University until a disastrous fire cut short his college career. He was so zealous and devoted in his new life that he could not be contented with the ordinary forms of Church activity and soon was licensed to preach.

Continuing his journey westward he moved next to Western Canada, where he entered into the active ministry. In Shell River, Saskatchewan, he met Mary Etta Tighe, who later became his wife, in 1894. Immediately afterward he came to North Dakota, where he was received on trial in that Conference during the same year. He was ordained a deacon under Bishop Charles McCabe in 1900, and three years later was ordained elder under Bishop Fitzgerald. In the North Dakota Conference he served as pastor of Edinburg, Dresden, Willow City, Ellendale, and Velva. He was transferred to the Oregon Conference in 1904, and was appointed to Myrtle Point, which he served for one year, after which he served Coquille and Bandon one year, Marshfield two years, Drain two years, Estacada three years, Silverton two years, and Lents one year. He was highly esteemed by his brethren in the ministry, and served for several years on the Board of Examiners, and also on the Board of Conference Relations. Brother Browne was an accomplished

scholar, a clear thinker, and conscientious and systematic in his work. He was past master of the Masonic Lodge at Estacada.

He began to decline in health while stationed at Estacada, and since that time there have been periods when he has been a great sufferer. During the last year of his ministry he accomplished his work only under great difficulties, and many times stood in his pulpit when the people to whom he was preaching felt that at any hour he might fall at his post, for on the first day of the Conference at Lebanon, September 26, 1916, he was stricken with paralysis, from which he never fully recovered. Although he did regain the use of his left arm and slight use of his limb, his body continued to grow weaker. He never lost hope, however, and he never complained. But his family and friends have known for some time that it would not be many days before he would receive his summons home. On the Monday preceding his death he was so weak that those who watched over him expected that he would depart any moment, and so lingered on the borderland until Sunday morning, November 11, at five minutes after seven, he left us to take his place for the first time among the members in the congregation of the Church Triumphant.

Among those who most anxiously await the meeting of him again in the Heavenly Land are two brothers,—one in London and one in Vancouver, B. C., and three sisters in London. His immediate family are a wife and four children; two boys, Morley and Cecil, twenty and eighteen years of age respectively, and two daughters, Grace, sixteen, and Mabel ten years of age. Funeral services were held Monday, November 12, at Lents, Ore., Rev. C. H. Hamilton having charge. The following brethren took part in the services: Dr. Joshua Stansfield, Rev. A. F. Lacy, Dr. T. W. Lane and Rev. F. M. Jasper. Interment was at the Mount Scott Cemetery.

### N. S. BUCKNER.

N. S. Buckner was born on a farm near York, Clark County, Illinois, October 11, 1840. He received the rudiments of an education by attending a Subscription School three months per year between the ages of seven and fifteen. With the death of his mother when he was fourteen years old the boy was thrown largely upon his own resources—working on the farm and at the printer's trade.

Under the spell of the great excitement when Fort Sumpter was fired on young Buckner enlisted in the twenty-first Illinois Infantry. After being mustered into the United States service he served until the close of the war under Colonel and later General U. S. Grant, taking part in the many battles directed by that determined commander.

Being mustered out on July 1, 1865, the young soldier decided to enter the ranks of the militant Methodist ministry. He spent one year in school and then joined the Illinois Conference in 1866. In 1871 he married and in the same year transferred to the Colorado Conference, where he served five charges before transferring to the Kansas Conference where after serving three appointments he was made a presiding elder. His health failing him he came west, locating at Tacoma, and later removing to Madison Street Church, Seattle. After some years in Washington he was transferred to the Oregon Conference and appointed to Ashland in 1893. Roseburg was his next and last charge. For several years he held a superannuary relation and then superannuated.

The closing years of Dr. Buckner's life were spent in California. He passed to his reward from his home in Pacific Grove, April 20, 1918, leaving behind him his faithful wife and his two sons, Rev. Harry and Robert.

#### ANNIE M. HILL SKIDMORE.

"Thou shalt come to thy grave in a full age, like as a shock of corn cometh in in his season." Never was this promise more beautifully fulfilled than in the quiet ripening and garnering of the richly fruitful life of Annie M. Hill Skidmore. Her cheery, thoughtful and modestly helpful life was an honor to God in the use of talents and opportunity which in all too many lives are as waste, untilled land. Her closing years were truly as the ripening of a golden harvest increasingly beautiful even as youthful freshness grows into set maturity. Her quiet conscious passing was as natural and as solemnly joyful as the gathering home of richly laden sheaves.

The spirit which has now returned to the God who gave it took up its physical abode on August 9, 1846, at Charlestown, Massachusetts. Ten years later the little girl came west with her mother and a brother. After a residence of three years she was taken back east to appropriate the blessings of better educational opportunities. Returning to Wilbur, Douglas County, Oregon, in 1867, she met and three years later married the young pioneer preacher, J. H. Skidmore. This sturdily faithful husband preceded her to a Christian warrior's reward less than two years ago, leaving with the companion of his self-sacrificing labors a heritage of beautiful memories. Every young man or woman who in this past year has been privileged to listen to her accounts of the joyousness of their forty-seven years together amidst the privations, anxieties and multitudenous labors of an itinerant preacher has gone out feeling that he had been standing on holy ground, where the master was saying anew that "if a man would save his life let him lose it."



Mrs. Skidmore did not need to say that life's highest joys come only to those who pay the price—you instinctively felt it in her presence.

On May 2, 1916, we bore to its final resting place the body of the honored pioneer. His name had appeared on Conference rolls and in the columns of the press, church and secular. His deeds were observed and known of all men. On Monday, January 14, 1918, there was dissolved the earthly tabernacle of one entitled to equal or greater honor. While he fought she prayed, when he suffered she yet more but always secretly lest any trace of discouragement cause him to lose heart. Her's was ever the task of inspiring and sustaining her husband in every good work. She was one of the silent forces which made possible the great deeds of our fathers. All honor to her and to the few remaining heroines of her day.

To her activities as a minister's wife she added the responsibilities and cares of a mother. In love she bore four sons: Joseph and Henry, now residing in Omaha, Nebraska; Frederick Hansell of Pioneerville, Idaho; and Charles Evan, of Berkeley, Cal. To these and to her surviving sister, who so tenderly cared for her in her final illness, she will ever remain in memory as one of God's saints in whom He demonstrated anew the truth of the prophet's promise to all who walk with God, "Behold at evening time there shall be light."

A. A. HEIST, Pastor.

### DAVID WOLFE.

David Wolfe was born in Ohio, 1843, and died in Portland, Oregon, November, 1917.

He joined the Minnesota Conference in 1889, and was transferred to the Oregon Conference in 1891. He served the following appointments: Brownsville, Springfield, Drain. He retired in 1898. He made his home for several years previous to his death at Boring, Oregon.

He was a Civil War veteran, having served his country in Company D, Nineteenth Iowa Infantry.

He was of industrious habits and after his retirement from the ministry was employed in useful occupations, serving for several years as rural delivery postman. He was loyal to his Church, his country, and his God. He was beloved, of kindly disposition and of benevolent life.

D. A. WATTERS.





# Statistical Tables

## Oregon Conference

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T. D. YARNES, Statistician  
Lebanan, Oregon

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C. O. McCULLOCH, Treasurer  
1155 East Yamhill Street, Portland, Oregon

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NAME OF CHARGE	Adults Baptized			Children Baptized		Prob'ts		Full Members			Sunday Schools				Epw'th League		CHURCH PROPERTY					Year. Con.	
	Baptized Under Instruction for Membership	Received During Year	Now on Roll	Full Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Deaths During Year	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollments in all Departments	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Bldgs.	Estimated Value Land and Bldgs.	Parsonages	Estimated Value Land and Bldgs.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Ch's and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses, Section, Fuel, Light, etc.	Appropriated for the Quinquennium	Paid this Year	Balance Due for the Quinquennium	
Albany .....	3	8	6	249	140	...	1	17	199	33	8	1	23000	1	5000	...	719	5000	564	35	6	17	
Bandon and Port Orford .....	1	2	...	32	41	...	2	18	138	20	...	2	3500	2	3000	...	300	5000	62	51	5	...	
Brownsville .....	...	1	...	184	41	3	1	20	250	12	10	1	3000	1	1000	25	300	1200	200	12	4	...	
Buena Vista .....	...	...	...	60	15	...	1	10	50	...	...	1	1200	1	800	...	...	50	30	...	...	...	
Coburg .....	6	...	...	38	11	...	1	13	70	...	...	1	1000	1	400	87	7	...	61	1	...	...	
Coos Bay Circuit .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	(2)	(7)	(50)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Coolidge .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	(1)	(14)	(124)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Corvallis .....	12	10	...	574	55	4	1	25	525	110	...	1	13000	...	...	43	341	600	750	37	14	13	
Cottage Grove .....	5	2	...	218	12	4	1	17	175	40	...	1	9000	1	3000	...	400	360	15	5	5	5	
Creswell .....	1	13	...	123	20	2	2	15	98	12	...	2	7000	1	2000	25	...	122	120	...	...	...	
Drain .....	...	5	9	92	10	...	1	12	142	21	...	1	2000	1	2000	125	...	541	148	12	4	4	
Elkton .....	2	...	...	37	35	1	1	6	31	6	19	1	2500	1	1000	...	2000	2300	2400	68	30	38	
Eugene .....	4	10	...	1090	185	7	1	65	855	75	25	1	10000	1	1500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Eugene Circuit .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	17	147	...	...	1	2000	1	1500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Gardner .....	...	...	...	38	1	1	1	16	120	54	...	1	3500	1	1500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Halsey .....	4	...	...	130	2	1	(1)	(15)	(209)	(41)	...	(1)	(3500)	(1)	(1500)	(40)	(44)	...	(130)	...	...	...	
Harrisburg .....	(1)	...	...	(59)	...	...	1	17	117	...	...	1	6800	1	1000	38	...	2079	...	...	...	...	
Independence .....	...	...	...	103	3	...	1	9	45	...	...	1	1500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Irving .....	...	...	...	29	8	...	1	9	86	19	10	1	2000	1	1200	143	...	49	59	6	3	1	
Jefferson .....	1	4	9	62	4	2	2	23	207	16	...	2	6200	1	2000	225	...	60	...	...	...	...	
Junction City .....	4	...	...	150	20	...	1	28	190	30	...	2	18000	1	1500	...	...	5600	450	18	12	6	
Lebanon .....	...	...	...	232	...	3	1	8	22	...	...	2	1500	1	600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Lorain Circuit .....	...	...	...	12	...	...	1	25	155	...	...	2	2400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Lowell Circuit .....	3	3	6	77	...	...	4	25	155	...	...	2	2400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Lyons .....	1	...	...	18	6	1	1	7	40	...	...	2	900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Marcola .....	1	...	...	73	...	...	1	3	117	76	...	4	2600	1	500	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Marshfield .....	2	2	32	207	7	5	1	29	200	25	...	1	5000	1	2000	50	...	600	356	16	2	1	
Monroe Circuit .....	...	...	...	94	21	...	2	18	102	20	...	2	1500	1	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Myrtle Point .....	8	...	...	89	...	...	1	15	154	28	20	1	1800	1	1400	100	31	234	200	8	2	2	
North Bend .....	...	...	...	115	3	1	1	10	110	25	...	1	4000	1	2000	500	...	600	240	7	7	...	
North Bend .....	1	...	...	112	16	1	1	15	140	18	...	2	2600	1	1500	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Shedds .....	1	5	...	140	16	5	1	11	65	20	15	1	1500	1	600	28	...	203	...	...	...	...	
Siletz Indian Mission .....	3	1	1	140	16	5	2	20	490	100	75	1	45000	1	45000	100	1000	3000	...	...	...	...	
Springfield .....	30	24	43	382	61	2	2	20	490	100	75	1	1500	1	1200	153	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Toledo .....	...	...	...	30	7	2	1	9	56	...	...	2	2800	1	1600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Turner .....	...	...	...	69	...	2	1	12	88	...	...	2	2800	1	1600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total .....	87	107	75	4918	706	53	46	574	5567	801	302	45	202200	29	45700	1940	4842	20062	8250	271	140	38	
Increase from 1917 .....	...	39	4	10	...	3	5	...	826	72	73	1	3750	2	900	...	3069	6347	22460	707	41	...	
Decrease from 1917 .....	24	...	...	21	...	...	...	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	73	





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# PORTLAND DISTRICT STATISTICS

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NAME OF CHARGE	Name of Pastor	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT									
		Support of Pastor		Support of District Superintendent		Support of Bishops		Support of Conference Claimants		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Deficiency
		Total Claim	Inc. H. se Rent	Total Paid	Inc. H. se Rent	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid		
Astoria.....	W. S. Gordon.....	\$ 2100	\$ 400	\$ 170	\$ 180	\$ 34	\$ 34	\$ 85	\$ 85	\$ 2389	.....
Clatskanie & Mayger.....	S. D. Johnson.....	900	830	80	80	16	16	40	40	1066	.....
Knappa & Svenson.....	R. J. L. McKelvy.....	(200)	(200)	.....	.....	.....	14	.....	35	249	.....
Portland—Centenary.....	T. W. Lane.....	3500	3500	300	300	62	75	150	150	4025	.....
Central.....	C. C. Rarick.....	1800	1800	150	150	35	45	75	90	2085	.....
Clinton Kelly and Lincoln.....	E. B. Lockhart.....	1000	900	100	90	20	22	50	45	1057	113
Epworth.....	C. O. McCulloch.....	1100	1100	80	80	16	16	40	40	1236	.....
First Church.....	Joshua Stensfield.....	4600	4600	400	400	80	80	200	150	5230	.....
Laurelwood.....	A. C. Brackenberry.....	1300	1300	100	100	20	20	50	50	1470	.....
Lewis-Bennett Chapel.....	F. M. Jasper.....	740	740	63	63	13	13	31	31	847	.....
Linnton.....	S. H. Dewart.....	480	450	120	140	.....	.....	.....	18	468	.....
Mt. Tabor.....	E. O. Eldridge.....	1580	1580	180	140	28	28	70	70	1818	.....
Montavilla.....	C. L. Hamilton.....	1200	1200	200	100	20	20	50	50	1370	.....
Patton.....	F. W. Keagy.....	1304	1304	204	110	22	22	62	62	1498	.....
Rose City Park.....	Aaron Heist.....	1500	1500	360	114	23	23	57	57	1694	.....
Sellywood.....	A. R. Maclean.....	1600	1600	250	135	27	27	67	67	1529	.....
St. Johns.....	J. H. Irvine.....	1100	1100	300	80	16	16	40	40	1236	.....
Sunnyside.....	R. E. Smith and C. T. McPherson.....	2650	2650	400	225	40	40	112	112	3027	.....
University Park.....	J. T. Abbott.....	1500	1500	300	120	24	24	60	60	1704	.....
Wilbur.....	F. B. Short.....	1338	1338	133	133	26	26	67	67	1564	.....
Woodlawn.....	W. E. Kloster.....	1100	1100	90	90	15	15	45	45	1250	.....
Woodstock.....	L. C. Poor.....	1000	1000	200	80	16	16	40	40	1136	.....
Rainier & Hudson.....	H. H. Howe.....	875	741	70	70	14	14	35	35	860	134
Seaside.....	R. C. Blackwell.....	1020	1020	120	90	18	18	45	45	1173	.....
St. Helens & Houlton.....	A. S. Hisey.....	1400	1400	200	120	24	24	60	60	1604	.....
Warrenton & Hammond.....	S. J. Kester.....	800	800	100	70	14	14	35	35	919	.....
Total.....	.....	37687	37453	3120	3110	623	662	1566	1564	\$42789	\$ 247
Increase from 1917.....	.....	1563	1327	166	176	50	93	227	107	1708	35
Decrease from 1917.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Preachers on Charge

PORTLAND DISTRICT STATISTICS										88																	
BAPTISMS			Church Membership			Sunday Schools			Epw'th League		CHURCH PROPERTY						Gen. Con. Expenses										
Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children who are under In- struction for Mem'p	Received During Year	Prep'ary		Full Members		Deaths		Sunday Schools		Teachers and Officers	Total Enrollment in All Departments	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Ch. and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses, Coxton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrantum	Paid this Year	Balance Due for the	
				Now on Roll	Full Members on	Non-Resident Members	During Year	Full	Members	Members on																	
Astoria.....	6	10	36	30	221	21	1	31	365	66	31	1	41300	1	4000	220	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clatskanie & Mayger.....	.....	5	.....	10	234	10	.....	25	282	40	43	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Knappa & Svenson.....	.....	15	.....	10	234	10	.....	25	282	40	43	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Portland—Centenary.....	.....	13	7	1	775	150	4	(8)	130	40	43	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central.....	.....	12	.....	.....	227	15	.....	36	403	40	43	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clinton Kelly and Lincoln.....	.....	12	3	.....	227	15	.....	36	403	40	43	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Epworth.....	.....	6	.....	.....	227	15	.....	36	403	40	43	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
First Church.....	.....	14	15	1122	159	11	1	10	280	18	15	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Laurelwood.....	.....	3	14	12	141	20	3	18	173	10	29	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lents Bennett Chapel.....	.....	24	14	12	141	20	3	18	173	10	29	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Linton.....	.....	11	32	32	195	30	3	31	253	33	38	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mr. Tebor.....	.....	4	.....	.....	9	5	.....	12	80	.....	.....	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Montavilla.....	.....	2	25	.....	151	.....	.....	24	204	20	30	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Patton.....	.....	2	.....	6	156	.....	.....	31	281	30	30	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rose City Park.....	.....	2	3	55	40	275	35	5	301	.....	.....	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sellwood.....	.....	3	8	7	245	.....	.....	15	301	.....	.....	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Johns.....	.....	6	9	15	363	50	5	45	545	.....	.....	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sunnyside.....	.....	4	6	12	175	10	1	34	380	85	40	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
University Park.....	.....	3	15	12	1003	67	9	22	267	60	65	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wilbur.....	.....	9	5	10	208	80	3	55	800	43	25	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Woodlawn.....	.....	7	.....	20	7	215	.....	20	290	95	65	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Woodstock.....	.....	5	5	6	151	.....	.....	17	205	40	40	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rainier & Deer Island.....	.....	2	5	13	10	184	14	1	25	310	40	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Seaside.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	29	10	.....	12	102	.....	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Helens, Houlton.....	.....	2	10	9	107	16	1	15	131	30	.....	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Warrenton & Hammond.....	.....	5	.....	11	3	158	16	.....	30	321	50	.....	2	4000	90	500	500	1310	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	71	206	213	215	6031	563	57	653	7697	869	349	22	32474750	22	78800	3130	14548	80371	21926	246	147	52	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Increase from 1917.....	.....	82	.....	66	371	195	1	17	672	11	28	1	2	11075	.....	9650	10856	2134	3364	137	16	176	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Decrease from 1917.....	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	107	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38769	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	





NAME OF CHARGE		NAME OF PASTOR		Support of Pastor		Support of District Superintendent		Support of Bishops		Support of Conference Claimants		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Local Preachers
		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim			
Amity.....	W. E. Ingalls.....	1200	1200	200	90	90	20	20	50	50	1360			
Ballston.....	J. W. Warrick.....	500	500		45	45	9	9	25	25	579			
Banks and North Plains.....	R. E. Dunlap.....	550	550	100	40	40	8	8	20	20	618			
Bay City and Wheeler.....	J. H. Hickey son.....	986	1157	113	72	72	8	8	24	24	1261			
Beaverton.....	G. A. Gray.....	725	766	190	56	56	13	13	31	31	871			
Boring and Sandy.....	G. A. Siness.....	222	222		20	20			5	5	12	259		
Brooks.....	S. W. Hall.....	440	480	50	37	37	9	9	21	21	527			
Canby.....	C. R. Carliss.....	1150	1150	150	81	81	10	10	45	45	1286			
Carus and Central.....	D. M. Cu cell.....	281	281		25	25	5	5	8	8	319			
Clackamas.....	A. B. Calder.....	284	284		28	28	5	5	14	14	331			
Cornelius.....	J. G. Crozier.....	700	700	100	54	54	12	12	28	28	794			1
Dallas.....	Chas. P. Johnson.....	1400	1400	200	105	105	24	24	60	60	1592			
Dayton.....	M. A. Marcy.....	925	960	200	65	65	15	15	35	35	1078			
Dundee.....	Alfred Bates.....	500	500		40	40			6	6	20	566		
Dulley.....	C. W. Comstock.....	384	284	84	27	27	4	4	9	9	6	302	122	2
Estacada.....	Henry Spiess.....	940	940	200	66	66	15	15	36	36	335	1057		
Fairview and Rockwood *.....	T. W. Adkisson.....	(325)	(325)	(50)	(25)	(25)	(6)	(6)	(9)	(9)	(365)			
Falls City.....	A. S. Mulligan.....	620	620	100	47	47	11	11	26	26	704			
Forest.....	Thomas Acheson.....	560	560	60	45	45	10	10	25	25	640			
Forest Grove.....	John H. Ebert.....	1560	1560	360	108	108	24	24	60	60	1752			1
Gresham.....	J. M. Brown.....	1200	1200	200	90	90	20	20	50	50	1360			4
Hillsboro.....	W. Skinworth.....	1200	1200	200	90	90	20	20	50	50	1360			1
Hubbard.....	H. O. Cooper.....	520	520		46	46	10	10	25	25	601			
Lafayette.....	Alfred Bates.....	452	452	10	31	31	8	8	6	6	22	511		
Liberty.....	B. C. Brewster.....	350	350		31	31	7	7	18	18	405			1
Livestey.....	A. Hawthorne.....	470	470	120	32	32	8	8	18	18	528			
Marquam.....	J. F. Coleman.....	450	450	50	36	36	8	8	20	20	514			
McMinnville.....	D. Lester Fields.....	1400	1400	200	108	108	24	24	60	60	1604			1
Mezger and Tigard.....	E. S. Mace.....	800	800	128	63	63	13	13	35	35	911			
Mollala.....	F. W. Snyder.....	800	800	150	54	54	13	13	33	33	905			1
Newberg.....	C. W. Pogue.....	697	697	72	50	50	10	10	27	27	777	20		
Oregon City.....	R. E. Myers.....	1300	1300	200	99	99	22	22	55	55	1476			1
Oak Grove Kendall and Westm *E.....	E. E. Gilbert.....	1688	1688	188	135	135	30	30	75	75	1928			2
Oswego and Tualatin.....	E. E. Sherwood.....	712	712		58	58	13	13	33	33	816			
Pleasant Home and Troutdale *.....	F. R. Royston.....	500	460		45	45	10	9	25	23	533			2
Pringle and Wacanda.....	F. S. Ford.....	700	600	100	54	45	9	6	20	15	666	117		2
Salem—First Church.....	John D. Woodfin.....	75	90								90			5
Salem—First Church.....	R. N. Avison.....	2900	2900	500	216	216	48	48	120	120	3284			
Jason Lee Memorial.....	A. F. Lacey.....	720	720	120	54	54	12	12	24	24	810			
East Salem.....	H. N. Aldrich.....	1400	1400	200	108	108	24	24	60	60	1592			
East Salem.....	Leslie.....	100	100		15	15	3	3	5	5	183			
Scholls and Farmington.....	Earl B. Cotton.....	575	575	100	43	43	12	12	24	24	654			
Sheridan.....	Erwin G. Ranton.....	1000	1000	54	54	54	12	12	30	30	786			
Silverton.....	M. M. Reid.....	1200	1200	200	90	90	20	20	50	50	1360			
Stayton.....	C. L. Dark.....	873	873	72	72	72	12	12	30	30	1089			
Tillamook.....	E. M. Smith.....	800	800	100	108	120	24	24	60	60	1644			1
Viola and Clarks.....	Charles E. Gibson.....	1400	1400	240	108	120	24	24	60	60	1644			1
Willamina.....	B. A. Bristol.....	550	550	75	48	48	12	12	28	28	735			
Wilson ile and Willamette.....	G. B. Harrison.....	600	600		54	54	12	12	30	30	886			
Woodburn.....	E. C. Abbott.....	1500	1500	200	117	117	24	24	65	65	1700			
Yamhill and Carlton.....	E. C. Decker.....	1044	1169	144	81	81	18	18	45	45	1313			2
Robert Brymer.....	Robert Brymer.....													
Total.....		41006	42547	5889	3166	3227	665	684	1689	1739	43197	306		31
Increase from 1917.....		4846	4495	61	210	444	44	97	147	239	5273	1468		18
Decrease from 1917.....														

## CHURCH PROPERTY

Epworth  
League

## Sunday Schools

## Church Membership

## BAPTISMS

## NAME OF CHARGE

Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Under Instruction for Membership	Received During Year	Now on Roll	Full Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Deaths During Year	Sunday School	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in All Departments	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Bldgs.	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Land and Bldgs.	Paid Bldgs, Imps. on Chs and Parages	Paid on Old Indebts on Chs and Parages	Present Indebts on Chs and Parages	Current Exs, Sex-ton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportionment for the Quinquennium	Paid This Year	Balance Due for the Quinquennium	
Amity.....	3		5	9	179	8	1	1	23	145	50			2500	1	800	20			185	8	8	4	
Ballston.....	1	5	2	3	93	2		1	16	94	37	13		3700		1	15			75	10	3		
Banks and North Plains ..		1			82	13			3	117	10	12		3500	1	1000	75			110	3			
Bay City and Wheeler ..	3		17		35		1		3	19	162			2200		1	800	75		75	12	4		
Beaverton.....	2	5	9	5	54	4			3	124				4700	1	1600				75	12	4		
Boring and Sandy ..	5		4	9	17	1			3	116				6800		1	500	10		74	1	6		
Brooks.....	3				114	19		1	16	150	21			1800	1	1800				74	1	6		
Canby.....	1	3	5	1	95	14		1	1	132	40			11000	1	1500	75		4500	160	2	2		
Carus and Central ..			8	8	28		2		2	69				1800		1	1200				25			
Clackamas.....					57	15	1		1	12				2000	1	1000				88				
Cornelius.....	1	4	4	2	80	8	2		1	130	10			1000	1	1500	15			360	250	22	15	
Dallas.....	16		32	5	240	98	3		1	345	50	25		4500	1	2500	66			123	5	4		
Dayton.....	14	3	12	9	150	3	2		3	228	54			6600	1	2500				123	5	4		
Dundee.....					40				1	100				1200		1	1200				380			
Dille.....					31	11			1	109	21			1000	1	500	15			80				
Estacada.....	3	3	4	7	90	16			3	242				4000	1	2000	400			78				
Fairview and Rockwood ..	(1)	(10)	(14)	(20)	(44)	(8)	1	(3)	(18)	(102)	35	25	(4)	(4500)	(2)	1200	12			(33)				
Falls City.....	1	4	15	3	30				1	11				2500		1	600				100			
Fargo.....			2	2	373	56	3		1	8	78			17500	1	4250	250	95	1400	275	18	4	8	
Forest Grove.....			5	5	1				1	25	211	43	20	1500	1	1000	125			165	20	7	6	
Gresham.....	1	5	5	1	140	14	1		1	20				9000	1	1000				238	20	7		
Hillsboro.....	5		4	2	2	55	1		4	27	192	20		6000		1	6000			732	3	3		
Hubbard.....					9	11			1	60	20			1500	1	1000								
Lafayette.....					3	5	2		1	10				2850		300	100	400			55	5	1	
Liberty.....	6	11			10	39			2	16	88			4000	1	1000	250			85	13	9		
Livesley.....					2	10	39	7		3	81			7000	1	1200	443			250	24	6	6	
Marquam.....	3	4	5	2	10	39	7		1	3				7335		3	2800		300	160				
McMinnville.....	12	6	24	6	4	121	20	1	2	277				5000	1	1200	1000			150	2			
Metzger and Tigard ..	3	6	10	6	3	68	12	2	1	18	21	14		2	2	2	360	140		240	21	15		
Molalla.....					50				3	120	22	78		2	2	2	1500	1000		140	4	4		
Nebalem.....					50				1	36	35			5500	1	1800				260	21	15		
Newberg.....	5	1	9	5	250	22	3		1	292	45			45000		1	2060	500	10000	680	13	13		
Oregon City.....	1	4	5	4	328	6	6		1	27	292	45		1	1	1	4000			194	45	1		
Oak Grove/Kent's Westm'E					9	27	1		2	30	235	49		1	1	1	3500			95	45	1		
Oregon and Tualatin ..					69	27	1		3	17	76			2	2	2	40	290		160	12	3		
Pacific Home & Troutdale					63	6	1		3	23				1000	1	1000								
Pearson and Westm'E	2								1	77				34000	1	6000	497	468	2688	3031	50	16		
Pringle & Wescoda					10	186	15	16	1	40	125	30		1	1	1	6000	497	2688	3031	50	16		
Salem—1st Church.....	7	9	30	36	3	157	40	16	1	22	30			19000		1	9000			1200	20	7	6	
Jason Lee Memorial.....	19	5	52	26	3	217	46	1	1	31	171	200		2	2	2	1500	400	1660	468	20	7		
Leslie.....					3	8				166				1	1	1	2000	25		44				
East Salem.....					3	11	1		2	170	75	72		2	2	2	2000	25		50	3	3		
West Salem.....					60	22			1	12				2700	1	2000				50	3	3		
Schools and Farmington...	1		2	3	1	1			1	141				2000	1	2000				30	13	8		
Sheridan.....	2	3	4	3	4	204	20	3	2	224	25	13		1	1	1	2000	100	551	165	5	5		
Silverton.....	2	2			134	23	1		1	200				1	1	1	5000			280	5	5		
Stayton.....	2	2		3	1	64	23	1	1	139	21			1	1	1	2500			441	100	14	4	
Tillamook.....					120	54	2		1	172				1	1	1	2000			2400	220	4		
Viola & Clarks.....	5				50	15			2	161	16			1	1	1	3500			10				
Williamina.....	5	5	2	7	2	90	17	1	3	25	175	20		2	2	2	4000	1100		60				
Wilsonville and Willamette	5	5	8	7	12	85	3		1	175	20			2	2	2	3500	113		85	10	4		
Woodburn.....	3	9		7	7	311	50		2	233	59	50		1	1	1	1600	117		448	6	6		
Yamhill and Carlton.....	8	8		11		121	19	5	2	182	40			3	3	3	700	200		150	12	4	9	



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